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Lange **Threatens** Cutbacks

Ties ANZUS Role In Pacific Patrols To U.S. Actions

By Jay Mathews Washington Post Service LOS ANGELES — Prime Min-ister David Lange of New Zealand threatened to reduce South Pacific maritime surveillance and other activities important to the United States in retaliation for U.S. sanctions against his nation, which has refused to allow nuclear ships to

A POST OF THE PROPERTY OF THE Mr. Lange, speaking to American businessmen here Tuesday, raised the dispute over New Zenland's ban on U.S. nuclear war-ships to a new level.

He said the United States in-formed him Tuesday that it had "drastically scaled down" cooperation with New Zealand, primarily in intelligence sharing and defense, and he suggested this would only hurt the United States.

"We have military assistance programs with South Pacific island states," Mr. Lange said. "We have the prime responsibility for mari-time surveillance of the vast South Pacific. We have a force stationed in Singapore.

"If the United States diminishes defense cooperation under AN-ZUS, this will in turn diminish our capacity to go on playing a role in Southeast Asia and the South Pacific," he said, calling New Zea-land's role "a contribution to the safeguarding of United States and Western security as a whole." AN-ZUS is the Australia-New Zealand-

United States defense pact. Mr. Lange also said that New Zealand planned to ensure that "the South Pacific remains secure, peaceful and democratic.

"We, above all, have no desire to see the Soviet Union meddling in

, our region," he noted. Mr. Lange said that William A. Brown, a U.S. deputy assistant sec-retary of state, told him Tuesday that Washington was canceling Zealand and cutting off intelli-gence "of the raw, military sort." Mr. Lange said the U.S. actions were "serious" and "to a degree



David Lange

ally which has stood by it, through thick and thin, in war and peace,"

■ Lange Foes See 'Crisis' Opposition leaders in New Zea-

land asserted Wednesday that Mr. Lange's Labor government had put
"an end to ANZUS" by refusing to
allow port visits by U.S. warships
carrying nuclear arms, The Associated Press reported from Welling-

In a debate in the House of Representatives, Jim McLay, leader of the National Party, said Mr. Lange's government "should go" if it could not guarantee New Zea-land's security and defense.

There is no doubt that we have reached a crisis in our relationship with the United States of Ameri-ca," Mr. McLay said. "There is now an end to ANZUS as we have known it for a third of a century."

New Zealand's acting prime minister, Geoffrey Palmer, told the House that the government would not reverse its policy, and that a visit by a warship capable of carry-ing nuclear arms would provoke "widespread civil disorder."

In Canberra, Australia, Prime Minister Bob Hawke told Parliament on Wednesday that Australia would not pass on intelligence received from the United States to New Zealand.

Data gathered by Australia will still be shared with New Zealand,

Lange in Britain for Talks

Mr. Lange arrived Wednesday in that Washington was canceling Britain for a six-day visit for talks joint military exercises with New with Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher on his ban on nuclear warships visiting his shores, Renters reported from London.

lomatic sources said Britain and New Zealand were anxious to They are not, in my view, the avert a dispute. Mr. Lange is to kind of actions which a great power meet with Mrs. Thatcher on Monday.

Dollar Off As Banks Intervene

\$1-Billion Selloff Leaves Markets "Shell-Shocked"

By Bob Hagerty and Warren Getler

LONDON - European central banks, taking advantage of a pause in the dollar's recent surge, ham-mered the U.S. currency down Wednesday by selling an estimated \$1 billion on foreign-exchange

The coordinated intervention knocked the dollar from a high of 3.45 Deutsche marks in the morning to as low as 3.27 DM early in the afternoon, a plunge of more than 5 percent. The dollar recov-ered moderately when the U.S. Federal Reserve did not show any signs of joining the intervention, although U.S dealers said there were rumors of Fed intervention

"People are shell-shocked," said David Jouhin, senior executive for currency dealings at Midland Bank PLC in London. "It's been one of the most violent movements we've

Late Wednesday afternoon in New York, the dollar was trading at 3.3220 DM, down from Tuesday's close of 3.3950. The dollar also fell to 259,10 yen from Tues-day's 260.25, to 2.8275 Swiss francs from 2.875 and to 10.155 French francs from 10.375. The pound, which closed at \$1.067 Tuesday, was trading in New York late Wednesday at \$1.0915.

Dealers estimated that central banks in West Germany, Britain, France, Italy and the Netherlands dumped as much as \$1 billion on the market in an attempt to subdue the dollar. The currency, before starting to retreat from a 14-year high of 3.4780 DM in European trading Tuesday, had risen nearly 10 percent against the mark since the beginning of February.

In Frankfurt, a Bundesbank spokesman said the West German lion, the biggest single-day total in several years. The bank saw signs of weakening demand for the dollar and decided the time was right to add momentum to the fall, he

"Perhaps this will be a turning (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)



CENTER OF CONTROVERSY — French troops in the UN peacekeeping contingent, who were sharply criticized Tuesday by Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin of Israel, as they took up positions in Lebanon in November during talks on Israeli troop pullouts. Page 2.

Israel Offers Support for Mubarak Over Proposal for New Mideast Talks

By Thomas L. Friedman New York Times Service
JERUSALEM — Prime Minis-

ter Shimon Peres told visiting Egyptian special envoys Wednesday that Israel supported a new Middle East peace initiative suggested by President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt, government officials without portfolio. Moshe Arens without portfolio. Moshe Arens

The Egyptian has called for didelegation of Jordanians and Pales-

The prime minister's spokesman, Uri Savir, said that Mr. Peres was president, government sources ready for direct talks between Isra- said. el and Jordan, or between Israel gation, provided that it did not in-

clude members of the Palestine nied that Mr. Baz was ever here or Liberation Organization. The Egyptian proposals were first made public in an interview with Mr. Mubarak published Mon-

without portfolio, Moshe Arens and Ezer Weizman, during a fivehour negotiating session late Tuesent juight at the prime minister's lerusalem residence. Representing the Egyptians was Osama el-Baz, the political adviser to the Egyptian

With Israel now having informed the Mubarak government of its readiness for direct talks with Jordan and non-PLO Palestinians, the focus now shifts to Jordan and Yasser Arafat, the PLO leader.

The key question is whether Mr. Arafat will agree to appoint non-PLO Palestinians to take part in such negotiations alongside the Jordanians, and, should be decline, if King Hussein would enter into talks on his own.

A senior Israeli official directly involved in the discussions with Mr. Baz cautioned that it was still premature to see this latest flurry of diplomatic activity between Egypt and Israel as a real breakthrough. Mr. Baz, because of his high-profile links with the Arab world, apparently did not want to be photographed meeting with Israelis in Jerusalem.

Israeli officials were pleased that the Egyptians were now talking in terms of direct negotiations between the parties and outside the framework of an international conference, positions Israel has advocated for some time. The arrival and departure in Is-

rael of the various Egyptian envoys was highly unusual, even in a region accustomed to unusual diplo-Mr. Baz reportedly flew from Cairo to Rafah, a town on the

Egyptian-Israeli Gaza Strip border, and then drove from Rafah to Jeru-

When the talks broke up at around 1:30 A.M., Mr. Baz slipped out the back door, avoiding photographers who had been topped off that he was there. The Egyptian Embassy in Tel Aviv constantly de-

that he was the envoy the Egyptians had previously announced from Cairo was meeting with Mr.

Then Wednesday morning an-other Egyptian envoy suddenly showed up in Jerusalem, He is Abdel Halim Badawi, the assistant director general of the Egyptian Foreign Ministry.

Israeli sources said Mr. Badawi and to pretend that he was the part of an overall diplomatic settle-Egyptian envoy all along and not ment. Mr. Baz. The Israelis played along with this ruse and staged a meeting Wednesday afternoon between Mr. Badawi and Mr. Peres at the prime minister's office, inviting photographers for a photo opportunity.

UN Report Cites Soviet Massacres In Afghanistan As 'Deliberate'

By Iain Guest nal Herald Tribus GENEVA - In an unusual criti-

cism of the Soviet Union, a United Nations report on human rights in Alghanistan has accused Soviet forces of a "deliberate policy" of bombing villages, massacring civil-ians and summarily executing captured guerrillas.

The report accused the govern-ment of Afghanistan of holding an estimated 50,000 political prisoners. It said torture in jails had become so routine that it had assumed the character of an

nistrative practice." The report was prepared by Felix Ermacora, an Austrian law professor who has participated in UN human rights inquiries on Chile and South Africa. The Afghan government refused to cooperate with Mr. Ermacora.

A copy of the report was made available to the International Herald Tribune. The report is to be ie public soon and debated at the UN Human Rights Commission, now meeting in Geneva. The UN commission called

Tuesday for the withdrawal of "foreign troops" from Afghanistan by a vote of 31-7 with 5 absten-

This is the first time a UN body has openly criticized the Soviet Union and alleged widespread hu-man rights abuses. Diplomats in Geneva said the report could have major diplomatic consequences.
Some expressed hope that it

would cause the Reagan administration to adopt a more construcrive approach toward the UN, which it frequently has criticized as ignoring Soviet human rights

They also predicted that it might complicate efforts by the UN secretary-general, Javier Pérez de Cuéllar, to negotiate a withdrawal of

According to these sources, Mr. Ermacora took the word "Soviet" out of his report and replaced it with "foreign" when referring to

Still, a source described the report as "devastating" in its criti-cism of the Soviet Union.

The report described the presence of foreign troops in Afghanistan as "one of the main causes for the present human rights situa-tion," citing the massive displace-ment of people, the exodus of four million refugees, serious food shortages and an almost total disregard for the Geneva Conventions on the treatment of civilians and prisoners of war.

"The result of this situation is that many lives have been lost, many people have been incarcerat-ed in conditions far removed from respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, many have been tortured and many have dis-

appeared," the report said.
Mr. Ermacora traveled to Pakistan in December. He interviewed refugees from 15 regions in Afghanistan and visited four hospitals for wounded Afghans. Among the highlights of his report were the following points:

• Massacres - The report said 505 civilians were executed when

three villages were destroyed. In an incident Sept. 13, 1982, it said, about 105 people took refuge in an underground irrigation tun-nel in the village of Padkhwab-e-Shana in the province of Logar south of Kabul. Troops mixed "whitish" powder with a liquid, poured it into the tunnel and set it afire. Among the charred bodies were the remains of 12 children.

• The Geneva Conventions — The report spoke of "reprisals, in-discriminate bombardment, nonrespect for hospital zones, maltreatment of prisoners taken during the fighting" and "the use of specialized weaponry."

It also touched on the controversy of whether chemical weapons were being used in Afghanistan Mr. Ermacora said he was told that gas had been used to poison water and livestock, and that one substance dropped by planes had

• Bombardment - The report described the bombardment of vil-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

"I don't know if he changed any minds or not," said Senator Pete V.

Domenici, Republican of New

Mexico, after the 20-minute meet-

ing with Mr. Reagan. "It seems to

me that it is a tough case, but I

The White House and Pentagon

officials said the administration

wanted to complete the MX votes

before April 5, when Congress be-

gins an Easter recess and, as one senior Pentagon official put it, the

members "get their brains beat out by every chirch group, every moth-

Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, said the president would send Congress a report

March 4 renewing his request for the missiles that would "start the

clock running" toward the congres-

think it will pass."

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sional votes.

- German Aircraft Is Shot Down by Polisario Front

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches ALGIERS - The Polisario Front movement, fighting for the independence of the Western Sahara, said Wednesday it had shot down a West German plane carrying three members of the Polar-3 Antarctic expedition.

A communique from Polisario headquarters said the plane was downed by anti-aircraft fire Sunday "in the same region where two Moroccan D-228s were shot down in January." A spokesman for Dornier, the

West German aircraft company, confirmed that three people were aboard the Domier-228, which was returning from the Antarctic. He identified them as Herbert Hampel, 47, head of the Domier flight team and first pilot; co-pilot Richard Moebins, 46, and a Dornier technician, Josef Schmid, 28.

The Polisario statement said it has considered the region a war zone for the last nine years and warned that "any foreign visitor to Western Sahara will be considered a legitimate military target." The gnerrillas did not say wheth-

er bodies were recovered. The plane was shot down on the Atlantic coast in the northern part



The crew of the downed plane, posing at the South Pole in November. From left are Richard Moebius, co-pilot; Josef Schmid, a technician, and Herbert Hampel, pilot.

Reagan, Rejecting Any Compromise, Starts Lobbying Hard for MX Missile

New York Times Service WASHINGTON — The Reagan

administration, rejecting proposals for delay or compromise, has begun a high-level lobbying effort to win a congressional showdown on the MX missile next month. White House and Pentagon officials said the campaign was directed at a series of test votes in Congress the week of March 18, about a

to lift restrictions on production of 21 of the multiple-warbead nuclear The officials said they believed the votes would be close, especially in the Senate, but that their timing with the start of the arms control talks on March 12 would make

tions begin in Geneva, on v

Congress reluctant to kill the new missile. As part of the lobbying effort, Secretary of State George P. Shultz and Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger made a rare joint ap-pearance before the Senate Armed Services Committee and pleaded with Congress to support the MX so as to enhance the bargaining strength of U.S. negotiators in Ge-

Max M. Kampelman, the Rea-



gan administration's chief arms negotiator, made a similar plea in testimony before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. On Tuesday afternoon, Presi-

dent Ronald Reagan argued for the missile in a meeting with members of the Senate Armed Services and Appropriations Committees.

Max M. Kampelman

Under an arrangement set last year, the Senate and the House of Representatives are to vote within 15 days of the president's report. each casting two votes on the MX: one to authorize the production; the other to lift a congressionally imposed barrier to the expenditure on \$1.5 billion on the MX that was previously appropriated.

Members of Congress, arms control lobbyists and administration officials all characterized the outcome as uncertain Tuesday, but said the timing would work in the administration's favor.

Administration officials said they expected to win the votes, but that they feared many members of Congress would condition their support on other arms cuts later on. The conditions might include

congressional limits on 48 more MX missiles, for which the Pentagon is requesting \$4 billion in the 1986 fiscal year; restraints on the proposed space-based anti-missile program, or statements linking the future of the MX to signs of U.S. flexibility at the arms talks.

"We believe they will lift the fence," said an official of the barrier on the \$1.5-billion MX expenditure. "It's a question of how much we have to give up for that later," So far, the administration has

rejected overtures from Congress for a compromise linking the 21 trissiles to other arms matters.

Administration and congressional sources said that the chairman of the House Armed Services Comat forcing the inhabitants into (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

7.S. Envoy Causes a Stir in Some Austrian Diplomatic Circles

By James M. Markham New York Times Service. VIENNA - The Reagan administration's th-profile public diplomacy has collided in enna with the stuffier conventions of the

Two years ago, Helene A. von Damm, 46, ambitious emigrant from Austria who drisen to a position of considerable power the White House, caused a stir when she urned to her native land as U.S. ambassa-

ruler, 39, the owner of the luxury-class ther Hotel, she came close to creating a Jienna cultivates hand kissing, but behav-that draws attention is definitely out. A bit of an international backwater, Vienappears to draw a rather old-fashioned

ch are palatial and not exactly overuch exponents of the striped-pants sol seem to feel their collective dignity led by Mrs. von Damm's comportment.

nd of European diplomat to its missions,

"I believe in the kind of public diplomacy that the Reagan administration espouses," said Mrs. von Damm, who jogs in city parks sand Mrs. von Damm, who jogs in city parts and has clambered to the top of the country's highest peak, the Grossplockner. "I believe in selling America, and how do you sell America if you don't have a high profile?"

Mrs. von Damm -- who retains the resonant, titled surname of her second husband, a German-born banker - appears unruffled

turned to her native land as U.S. ambassa-tr.

But when the ambassador recently di-ced her third husband to marry Peter her former husband — Byron J. Leeds, 52, a ders. New Jersey - slipped quietly out of Vienna last November, not a word had appeared in the press about their divorce.

Mr. Gurtler, who had divorced his wife. and the ambassador were married at a private ceremony two weeks ago in Kitzbühel, a chic resort town. They re-enacted the ring exchange for television cameras. "So I think I handled it as discreetly as

anyone could," said Mrs. von Damm, who

has a habit of rolling German and English

words into one sentence. "I don't know why

should an ambassador, for instance, be treated differently than someone who works in

Her birth in the Lower Austrian village of Ulmerfeld in 1938 may, for some Viennese, be beside the point. For Mrs. von Damm, born Winter, is a quintessentially American phenomenon, a resilient risk-taker who got nerself out of her Soviet-occupied village, married a U.S. soldier in West Germany, moved to Detroit and got divorced.

A job as a secretary in Chicago with the political-action committee of the American Medical Association led to a fateful encouncomputer industry consultant from Flan- ter in 1965 with an actor-turned-politician named Ronald Reagan. She followed him to California, joining his gubernatorial campaign and becoming his personal secretary.

She accompanied Mr. Reagan to the White House, raising \$3.5 million for his

1980 campaign in the northeastern states. By 1982, she had reached the influential position of Assistant to the President for Presidential Personnel, a job that meant giving many weighty jobs to others. Being the special assistant and being in

the Oval Office has a lot of - how shall 1

musing on her decision to accept the posting to Vienna. "It was a protected, sheltered spot, where obviously I could have made round-the-world trips with the president. "And on the other hand," she said, "there was the lure of the challenge to be really out on your own and take the inevitable consequences and risks."

Among diplomats from other countries, there is a consensus that U.S.-Austrian relations have improved since Mrs. von Damm Her high-profile diplomacy has brought a string of U.S. luminaries to Vienna, and under her prodding President Rudolf Kirchschläs made the first official visit to the United States by an Austrian head of

But some are inclined to attribute this development to the departure in 1983 of Bruno Kreisky, a sometimes curmudgeon of a chancellor, and the accession of the more tractable Fred Sinowatz. Last September, Mr. Sinowatz replaced his leftist foreign

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Helene A. von Damm



INSIDE

A presecutor narrowed the case to three charges against Klans Barbie. Page 2. South Africa says it will allow some blacks to stay at the Crossroads squatter camp near

Cape Town.

SCIENCE Fears about AIDS underscore the importance of blood in modern medicinal treat-

BUSINESS/FINANCE Hong Kong residents will

face increased indirect taxation

beginning April 1. Page 7.

TOMORROW All aspects of French life are

being covered by a team of leading photographers in a survey of the country. Mary Blume reports. In Weekend.

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Kaypro Introduces New Computer

Kaypro Corp. has introduced a plies in the field.

Los Angeles Times Service

new desktop computer, the 286i, engineered to be compatible with IBM's powerful AT model comput-

er and designed to return the independent computer maker to profit-

Dealers said introduction of the Kaypro unit comes while IBM's

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BOOKS

TECHNO-BANDITS: How the Soviets Are Stealing America's High-Tech Future

By Linda Melvern, David Hebditch and Nick Anning. 313 pp. \$15.95. Houghton Mifflin, 1 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass. 02108.

Reviewed by Joseph Fitchett

TECHNO-BANDITS" is a well-re-searched account of East-West ten-

sions over computer technology. Case histories document the Soviet Union's campaign to obtain embargoed Western equip-ment — and stepped-up Western police work to stop the leaks.

The authors - three British journalists based in Washington - describe how the Reagan administration's arm-twisting tactics alienated allied governments. In 1983, they say, the Western alliance witnessed "some of its most serious splits" because of trade-policy friction.

A few allied governments, notably France, independently concluded that tighter trade su-pervision was needed, but most European goveruments only accepted the Reagan adn tration's line after being threatened with a cut-off of the U. S. technology essential to their own industrial modernization, they say.

After World War II, the Soviet leadership

relied on home-grown technology for fear of becoming dependent on Western imports. So-viet industry performed well on military and space projects, but computers were neglected.

By the 1960s, Soviet engineers started massively copying Western electronics by "reverse engineering"—dismantling a machine to copy it. This approach worked: Soviet engineers built their own computer, the Ryad series, by copying the IBM 360 line.

But it was slow, leaving the Soviet Union about eight years behind the West by 1970. Just in time, détente brought trading opportunities, and Soviet planners embarked on a new policy, directly acquiring Western tech-

nology — notably computers.

Simultaneously, the hustling entrepreneurs of Silicon Valley started displacing U. S. defense contractors at the leading edge in electronics. The military, traditionally the first customers for new computer technologies be-fore they became commercially available. started discovering new computers in stores.

Soviet industrialists were eager customers,

especially in Western Europe; where major contracts for ready to run factories — for

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example, with the French firm Renault and Italy's Fiat — included U. S. data-processing equipment that could help Soviet technician close the technological gap.

But as their dependence dawned

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But as their dependence dawned on Soviet leaders, their access to U. S. technology was hit. In 1974 U. S. trade curbs, tied to Soviet Jewish emigration, reversed the trend toward

economic cooperation. Soviet access was finally cut off by the economic sanctions applied by the Carter admin-istration after the Soviet invasion of Alghani.

stan.

By the time the Republicans won the 1981 is a elections, both superpowers were engaged in a covert war over the electronics technology chic ical to an emerging generation of sophisticated. conventional arms.

Joseph Fitchett is on the staff of the Internal and American Control on the Internal American Control on the Internal Control tional Herald Tribune.

BEST SELLERS

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BRIDGE

By Alan Truscott

Since "force or draw out" is one of the dictionary meanings of the word "Pump" it is not surprising that it is has become the most popular bridge coloquialism for forcing an opponent to trump. Pumping the declarer is nearly alexception of a very unusual

type.
It was played in a Regional Open Pairs event recently, and most North-South pairs arrived predictably in four

spades. Virtually all declarers suc-

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The club ace was cashed, revealing the bad break, and the ways a good move, but the dia-remaining diamond was led gramed deal represents an from the closed hand. West now had to take his ace and exit with a heart. Since this removed East's last heart he was now exposed to an end-play. South ruffed and led a low club to the nine to choose between returning a diamond to dummy's king or giving

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Pity the Poor Yuppie

By Russell Baker W YORK - After World War II we had the 1950s. It is fashionable now to sneer when anybody mentions the 1950s. People who were barely born then can now tell you about the decade's

People who were barely born before the 1950s ended are now called for reasons that make little sense - "yuppies," or "yumpies." These are acronyms created by wise-guy journalists to define a generation presumed (by the acronyms) to be young, upwardly mobile and employed in the professions

Young? Those born the year the Second World War ended are teetering on 40, and those born in the Eisenhower quiet are headed for 40 faster than they think. Only in the United States, where a 55-year-old can pass for "middle-aged," could the postwar generation still pass for

Many of them came to voting age believing in the slogan "Never trust anyone over 30." This is reasonably sound advice when you are truly young, for over-30 — which most of these people are today — is the time when the adult mentality begins to assume its full ruthless-

So it is misleading to speak of "young upwardly mobile professionals." To be sure, they are not old, either. "Aging" is the correct word, I think — "aging upwardly mobile professionals."

But of course most of them aren't professionals, either. Admittedly, there is a shocking percentage of lawyers among them, but lawyers have always constituted a disproportionate percentage of the are becoming rarer than diamond American population. Americans love to go to court.

I'd bet that most people in this age group do much the same work parent generation did. The majority of people I see in their late 20s, 30s and early 40s seem to be doing the same old things that were being done before they were born: Selling suits, waiting on tables, punching cash registers, cajoling people on the telephone, hustling money in the financial markets, spraying perfume in department stores, operating machines, teaching in classrooms, making a botch ward mobility. of auto and appliance repair.

The journalism that calls them "yuppies" or "yumpies," by sug-gesting that they dabble in the glamorous professions, invites the old-codger part of the population to dislike them as a people unfairly blessed with glamor, money and

It is tempting, after you have passed into old-codgerdom, to resent such fortunate folk and contrast their unfairly good fortune with your own harsh youth.

In a good bit of the literature about "yuppies" and "yumpies" —
if journalism and political and sociological screeds can be called literature — there is a touch of this sour-grapes tone. How unfair this is can be seen if we reflect a moment upon the supposed upward mobility of the "yuppies" genera-

Those who were actually there during the 1950s will be alarmed at the comparatively dreary state into which today's "vuppie" generation has fallen. In that time it was commonplace for persons of very moderate income to afford marriage, three or four children, an tomobile, a four-bedroom house (including attic, basement and pic-ture window), a TV set, a backyard barbecue grill, sirloins every Satur-day night and a three-week vacation at the seashore every summer.

And all on a single wage-earner's

To live at that level nowadays a 35-year-old would have to be a partner in a Wall Street firm that grants six-figure bonuses. Housing has been priced out of reach for millions and the price of children has soared so absurdly that babies

For a few, the two-income family structure with husband and wife both pursuing gaudy absorbing careers can still make luxuries possible. For most, though, the second income is pure necessity, and its loss can mean catastrophe.

If you were young and upwardly mobile when we had the 1950s, today's "yuppies" are probably your children, and you are not amused by people who patronize them. They are trapped in a time of decline and their destiny is down-

New York Times Service

Elizabeth Moynihan's Personal Passage to India

By Elisabeth Burniller Washington Post Service

HOR, India - The people in this small village of mud houses and lush fields aren't quite sure what to make of Elizabeth Moynihan, although they certainly find her interesting to watch. She spends her days on her hands and knees, digging up long-dried wells and prowling across the dirt floors of their living rooms with a trowel. A gang of 20 children follows every move she makes, gig-gling and eyes wide. "They think I'm crazy," she says. In the afternoons their parents offer her tea, which she takes alongside the water buffaloes and goats.

At the same time that her husband, Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, Democrat of New York, was busy in Congress, his wife was literally on the other side of the world, uncarthing an important archaeological discovery here that she found herself. It is a pleasure garden built 450 years ago by Babur, the emperor who founded the Mogul Dynasty in India, "If you know what you're looking for here," she says,

"you'll find it."

It began a decade ago when
Senator Moynihan was the American ambassador in New Delhi. Elizabeth was studying Mogul gardens in general and Babur in particular, poring over a 1921 translation of his journal, the "Babur-Nama." She became convinced that the lotus garden he described in such detail still existdescribed in such detail suit exist-ed, even though scholars thought it had long disappeared. Follow-ing his phrases like clues in a treasure hunt, she finally came upon the village of Jhor. She walked straight to a stone terrace the villagers used to dry cow dung patties, pushed aside some lentil branches and found, just as she had suspected, the remains of Babur's lotus pool.

"I was jumping up and down," she says. "It was terrific."

Babur was also her salvation from New Delhi embassy life, which can wrap visitors in a ster-ile gauze that carefully protects them from any real experience of living in India. Entire conversations center on the number of times Americans have been sick from the water and dirt. Dinner parties can be as formal and stylized as those on the official circuit in Washington.

Mrs. Moynihan now speaks of Babur as she would an old friend "First of all, he's a genius," she says. "He was tactically very good at military exploits. He was a natural botanist. He spoke and wrote several languages. He was a poet. He was a musician."

It was at Babur's 500th birthday-anniversary party, celebrated two years ago with friends in India, that Moynihan raised his glass and said proudly, "I'd like to make a toast to the other man in my wife's life."

To get to Jhor, you take the Taj Express, a three-hour train trip from New Delhi to Agra, the site of the Taj Mahal. From Agra, it is a one-hour drive to Dholpur along a dusty road crowded with skeletal cows, camels pulling old wooden carts, hollow-eyed beggar children, noisy bazaars, vegetable stands and roast-peanut stalls.

In Dholpur, it is a five-minute drive down a dirt path to Jhor. At the end of the road is Elizabeth Moynihan, in jeans and a black sweater, 54, white-baired, opinionated and independent.

She and her 27-year-old daugh-ter Maura are staying for the week at the nearby guest house — an enormous old bungalow built by the British on the scale of the Raj. There are peacocks and bougain-villes in the gardens, but the interior has seen considerably better days. The bill for the entire week comes to 49 rupees, or, at current exchange rates, about \$3.90.

The village sits on top of most of the garden, which probably covered several acres. In its prime, it included a mosque, a pavilion, two pools and an aque-

Babur loved it and spent time recuperating there from his mili-tary exploits, using it not so much as a water garden as a country house away from the battles. Ba-bur was the first of the Mogul invaders who came from the north - Mrs. Moynihan calls them the world's most elegant nomads. His garden at Jhor is the only link between the water gardens of India and Persia.

He made regular entries in his detail. On Jan. 13, 1529, he wrote: "A place was fixed in the S.E. of

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the garden for a hot bath. I ordered a plinth erected on the leveled ground, and a bath to be arranged, in one room of which was to be a reservoir 10 by 10."

Mrs. Movnihan points to an old pool. "We measured it this morning," she says. "and it turned out to be 10 by 10. Which is what he said. What do you She discovered the garden in

1978, returning to India after she had left three years before as the ambassador's wife. The country got under her skin in a deeper way than it did her husband's. "I had more fun," she says. "I seldom went anyplace with Pat because I was uncomfortable with the entourage. It's much better to take a train. I didn't go to the receptions. but he had to." Then, too, she says she was never sick in India, although her husband was sick all the time. "It got to be sort of a problem for us," she says. The senator maintains he was only sick once - it just lasted, he says.

She didn't return to the garden again until 1983, when she showed it to Movnihan. Ever the

returned a third time, this trip for a formal survey that she hopes will become a monograph, a re-cord of use to architectural historians. The Indian government has declared it a protected site, and there is talk that the villagers will be relocated nearby and the garden made into a park.

She began work on a book about Mogul gardens soon after she left India, Babur's garden became an important part of that book, now called "Paradise as a Garden." but she gave herself only a two-sentence mention as the discoverer. There's no picture of her on the book jacket, either, and no mention of who her hushand happens to be.

Elizabeth Moynihan has ways been a little different. In Washington she generally avoids the Senate wives, doing things like serving on a White House lunin Massachusetts, the daughter of a divorced Catholic woman who

man's campaign for governor of New York, but decided to leave Albany soon after the election. Then she broke her leg skiing and wound up staying and getting married.

She went with Moynihan to Washington when he joined the Labor Department during the Kennedy administration, then on with him to his professorship at Harvard. She came back to Washington when he served on Richard Nixon's White House staff ("We had a big fight about that," she says), then left with him for India in 1973. They had their three children with them - Maura, John

"I had terrible culture shock," she says. "I had never been to India before."

The U.S. ambassador's residence didn't help. "You've seen the Kennedy Center, so you've seen the embassy," she says. "You open the front door and it's like the hall of flags. The first thing I did was put up a badminton net and a Ping-Pong table and let John's friends play there." The architect of the building - Edward Durrell Stone, whom some critics call the master of mediocrity - had in fact designed the Kennedy Center.

The house also came with the usual barrage of servants, com-mon to the homes of foreigners in India. "I hated it," she says. How many were there? "Let's see," she says. "One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight in the house, then the watchman, the malis [garden-ers], oh, God, there were about six of them. And the electrician. That huge space had to be air-condi-tioned. He was there all the time."

So Elizabeth Moynihan avoided the parties and began studying her gardens, traveling over the subcontinent. Diplomatic eye-brows were raised. "We'd been there almost a year," she says, "when Mrs. Gandhi had a recepcheon committee, then not turn-ing up for the meal. She was born ambassadors' wives and their children. It was very pleasant, and she had a little gift for each child. edited a local newspaper. She And she said something very odd went to Boston University but to me. She said, "You're doing the never finished because she ran out right thing not going to those par-of money and was terrible at ties — don't you worry about their complaints.' Well, that was She met Moynihan while both the first I'd heard of those compolitician, he held out sweets for the village children. Now she has were working on Averell Harriplaints. She knew all the gossip."

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According to tartling Stephen multi-Barry, who was Prince Charles's Saliss's valet for 12 years, Princess Diana is "fairly scared" of her more barriers. valet for 12 years, Princess Diana is "fairly scared" of her mother-in-law, Queen Elizabeth II; and she and Charles do not get along well with Charles's younger sister, Princess Anna. Barry, who does not especially like Diana and has written two books about the royal face. ten two books about the royal fame ily, said in an interview in the lates Woman magazine that Charles and Diana were "as different as chalt and cheese," with only the glue of the children keeping the marriage together.

Edward Pressman, an American film producer ("Badlands," "Phantom of the Paradise, "The Revolutionary") has signed up four Entrope-based directors to make their English-language debuts: Paulo and Vittorio Taviani of Italy ("The Night of the Shooting Stars," cho-sen as the best film of 1983 by the U.S. National Society of Film Critics): Jean-Jacques Beineix of France ("Diva," an art-house hit in the United States); and Bob Swaim, a Paris-based American ("La Balance," which scored a hit in New York). Pressman said he hopes the four travel as well as such earlier European directors as Ernst Labitsch and Billy Wilder.

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Lyon Prosecutor Narrows Case to 3 Charges for Trial of Barbie

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LYON, France - French prosecutors year (or crimes against humanity, but the case they have developed against the former Gestapo chief of Lyon will not involve time." the torture and murder of France's greatest

As evidence against Barbie is assembled by the investigating magistrate, and the charges against him are pared down, it has become clear that the trial will deal with three specific charges, instead of the eight originally announced.

These charges exclude Barbie's role in the arrest and death in 1943 of Jean Moulin, the underground chief, and the Nazi police official's campaign of repression against French Resistance fighters.

780 of his victims, most of them Jews.

"This is not going to be a great trial for history," said Serge Klarsfield, a lawyer representing families whose relatives were tor, made clear in an interview that the village of lzieu

LYON, France — French prosecutors

Referring both to Barbie's campaign
expect to try Klaus Barbie by the end of the
against French Resistance fighters and his persecution of Jews, Mr. Klarsfield added, "There won't be any revelations for all

> tance movement and Jews. He was not a persona is greater than the real personality that will face the court. The Barbie who hid in South America, the Barbie who is accused of killing the head of the Resistance movement, he won't be on trial."

Since Barbie was expelled from Bolivia and brought back to France in February 1983 to stand trial, the prosecution has If evaluations of lawyers are correct, the ase against Barbie, 72, will concentrate on case against Barbie, 72, will concentrate on ed to be its presentation of a bill of particulars in April or May.

Although no official statement has been

sent to Nazi death camps on Barbie's orinvestigating magistrate, Christian Riss,
ders.

This means that the prosecution's case authenticity of the document will be proved in court through the testimony of a dents covered by the charges against Barbic from the eight he originally announced two years ago.

The explanation, according to other lawvers, is that the investigating magistrate "Barbie," he said, "was a local chief who had to eliminate any situation that could dealt very harshly with the French Resisben narrowly and technically defined as a "war crime," such as the execution or torfigure of the magnitude of other Nazis who ture of underground lighters. Under the have been brought to trial. The Barbie statute of limitations, Barbie, who was sentenced to death in absentia by French courts in 1952 and 1954 for war crimes, may no longer be prosecuted for them.

But crimes against humanity, involving genocide or racial persecution, are not proscribed, and Barbie is to stand trial on three charges of this type, the lawyers said. They relate to the deportation of 650 people, most of them Jews, to the Auschwitz and Ravensbrück camps; the deportation of 86 people arrested at the Lyon office of the Jews of France Committee, and the deportation to Auschwitz of 44 children made, Pierre Truche, the general prosecu- from a home for Jewish children in the

ment in Lyon or Barbie's participation in German expert. the torture and murder of Moulin. Since The remaining legal procedures involve Barbic's return to France, this area of the examination of the investigating magiscase has been the most sensitive in terms of trate's bill of particulars by a special chamdomestic politics because his lawyer, Jac- ber before it authorizes Barbie's trial in the ques Verges, has insisted that Barbie would criminal court building looking out on the expose "certain persons who wear medals Saone River. Mr. Truche said these procetoday who I consider guilty of wearing dures could take up to seven months, in-

Considering the difficulty of finding new information to document the new charges against Barbie more than 40 years after the Barbie's Mouth Is Burned crimes. Mr. Klarsfeld said, "it's really a miracle, in legal terms, that the investigating magistrate has been able to put togeth-

"They had to find new facts," he said, "and that's exactly what they did."

One of the new and central elements in initials. Mr. Vergès has described it as a reported in good condition Wednesday. He forgery, noting a reference to a date on the had immediately spit out the product, document in French. But Klarsfeld said the which was identified as sodium silicate.

them illegally" — in other words, phony cluding an appeal if Mr. Vergès should Resistance heroes. case have spoken of November as a likely time for the start of the trial.

Prison sources said Wednesday that Barbie, whose mouth was burned when he took his daily digestion medication, had been given a compound Tuesday which is used to clean floors. The Associated Press reported from Lyon.

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Syrians Hijack West German Plane

VIENNA (AP) - Two Syrians being deported from West Germany comandeered a Lufthansa airliner Wednesday with 43 people aboard and forced it to land in Vienna during a flight from Frankfurt to Damascus. They surrendered after nearly five hours of negotiations.

Earlier, they had released all 33 passengers, an airport spokesman said. The eight-member crew remained aboard the Boeing 727. The hijackers . were believed to be armed with knives and a broken bottle, and were threatening two flight attendants, Schwechat Airport authorities said.

One of the hijackers told negotiators, "If somebody approaches less than 150 meters, the captain will be killed," according to a spokesman. After an hour of negotiations, 21 of the passengers were released, and the rest were set free 90 minutes later.

Kohl Reassurés Poland on Frontiers

BONN (Reuters) - Chancellor Helmut Kohl assured Poland on Wednesday that West Germany had no territorial claims against it and spoke out against members of his own party who have reasserted demands for the return of former German provinces.

In his annual State of the Nation address to the West German parliament, the chancellor said that the Bonn government accepted current European frontiers and would stick rigidly to all agreements it had signed with Soviet bloc states. Mr. Kohl's comments appeared to be aimed at defusing criticism of West Germany by the Soviet Union and its allies after recent statements from members of the right wing of his Christian Democratic Union reviving claims to former German lands.

"We, the Federal Republic of Germany and the People's Republic of Poland, have no territorial claims on each other," he said, "and will not raise any in the future." Large areas of eastern Germany were lost to Poland and the Soviet Union after World War II.

Bulgaria Curtails Railroad Services

BELGRADE (Reuters) — Bulgaria has temporarily canceled 90 express and other passenger train services because of problems over energy and fuel supplies, the Tanjug news agency said Wednesday.

Tanjug reporting from Sofia, quoted the state-run railroad administra-

tion as saying the cancellations had been prompted by "difficulties in the energy system" and the need for maximum savings of power and fuel. Bulgaria announced a program of phased power cuts last week to save electricity. Officials acknowledged that Bulgaria is in the grip of a small energy crisis and have blamed it on the failure to bring new equipment into power stations and the effects of drought last year. Poor management and this year's severe winter conditions also were partly responsi-

Ortega Invites Panel of U.S. Congress

MANAGUA (WP) — In a meeting with five visiting Roman Catholic bishops from the United States, President Daniel Ortega Saavedra of Nicaragua has invited U.S. congressional leaders to form a bipartisan commission that should visit Nicaragua and find out that his country's military development is purely defensive.
[The Reagan administration "would encourage" Congress to take up

the offer, the White House spokesman, Larry Speakes, said Wednesday, United Press International reported from Washington. "It would be interesting, in our opinion, to see what a delegation would turn up," he

Mr. Ortega extended the invitation as the U.S. Congress nears a vote on the renewal of U.S. aid to Nicaraguan rebels who have been seeking to overthrow the Sandinist government. The five American bishops, who are on a fact-finding tour, have reiterated that they have never supported the granting of military aid "to any faction involved in any conflict anywhere." The clergymen also voiced their support for peace talks involving all opposition forces, an option that the Sandinists have repeatedly

For the Record

Japan's poison candy gang said Wednesday in a letter it was halting nearly six months of attempts to extort money from a confectionery firm by planting poisoned sweets in shops, Kyodo news agency reported in Tokyo. The police said the letter was believed to be genuine but gave no more details. (Reners)

Three Taiwanese gang leaders have been indicted on charges of killing an American Chinese writer in California, court officials in Taipei said Wednesday. They said Chen Chi-li, Wu Tun and Tung Kuei-Sheng, are secured of billion March 1. accused of killing Henry Liu, a critic of Taiwan, last October in Daly City. The officials did not say when the trial would begin. (Reuters)

Six Changians, including five soldiers, have gone on trial in secret Rawlings, Radio Ghana said Wednesday. The alleged plot is the fifth to be made public since Lieutenant Rawlings seized power in 1981. (AP)

In central Madrid, an explosion ripped through a shopping center on Wednesday, injuring at least five persons and damaging at least a dozen stores, the police said. No one claimed responsibility for the blast. (AP)

UN Reports Accuses Soviet The Israelis and the French got into a shoving match at Burj Rahal on Feb. 14 when the French tried to stop the Israelis from bulldozing Of Using 'Deliberate' Terror

lages as a "deliberate policy" aimed towns and depriving the guerrillas of support and food.

It said this had caused a dramatic fall in the production of cotton gion of Kandahar and the first signs of famine in the regions of Panishir north of Kabul, in Badakhshan in the far north and in

the west-central Hazarajat. power to prevent Israeli forces ● Torture — A former Afghan security official told Mr. Ermacora that he had used eight techniques of torture, including electric shock, wood inserted into prisoners an-In Beirut, the Lebanese military said that Israeli and Lebanese uses and forcing prisoners to drink

> On Feb. 4, Afghanistan signed a new UN convention banning tor-

Lebanese troops were deployed in the area evacuated by Israel 11 In his recommendations, Mr. Ermacora said the withdrawal of the foreign troops should be part of a process of "normalization" in Afwas triggered by an Israeli foot patrol attempting to enter territory controlled by the Lebanese Army in order to raid a Shiite Moslem

In what was described by some sources as "unprecedented" criti-

cism of a member of the UN, Mr. Ermacora said that Afghanistan's system of government was unrepresentative and in "contradiction" with UN human rights instru-

Mr. Ermacora called on the government in Kabul to convene a representative assembly, and he suggested that Afghanistan might "formally" commit itself to a policy of "permanent neutrality."

Some observers said the report avoided direct criticism of the Afghan guerrillas, beyond saying that their treatment of prisoners was

not satisfactory. This, they said, contrasted sharp ly with recent UN reports on hu man rights in Guatemala and El Salvador, which stressed killings and economic damage attributed to

anti-government guerrillas.

The UN inquiry was established by last year's session of the commission, by a vote of 27-8 with 6 abstentions. The vote was denounced by the Afghan delegate as unlawful, null and void, politically injurious and morally hypocriti-

Dollar Skids as Central Banks Step In

point, where markets will now be impressed that the fundamental strengths of European economies must be taken into account," the spokesman said. Many traders and analysts, however, contended that the dollar was likely to resume its

ascent The European intervention came one day after Paul A. Voicker, chairman of the U.S. Federal Reserve Board, questioned whether central banks had been forceful enough in trying to subdue the dol-

On Wednesday, speaking before a Senate committee in Washington, Mr. Volcker reiterated that currency intervention may be useful at

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times. But he added that interven-tion could not overcome such longterm problems as the U.S. budget delicit, which has helped keep U.S. interest rates high and thus added to the attraction of holding dollars. Analysts said that the massive intervention Wednesday will make

currency dealers wary about bidding up the dollar quickly over the next few weeks. "They've just been hit over the

head with a baseball bat," said Bruce Brittain, an economist at Salomon Brothers in New York. But he and other analysts and traders said they do not believe there has yet been a decisive turning point in the rise of the dollar, which has gained more than 75 percent

It's very unlikely we are going to

economist at International Treasury Management Ltd., forecast that the dollar would rise to about 3.60 DM in six months and that the pound would fall to near parity with the dollar.

Analysts who remain bullish on the dollar generally point to expectations that the U.S. economy will remain strong in the near term, boosting demand for credit and maintaining high interest rates. Alan Greenspan, a former chair-man of the U.S. Council of Economic Advisers, said this week that U.S. gross national product, or total output of goods and services, could expand at a brisk annual rate of 6 percent in the current quarter.

At the same time, U.S. inflation prices edged up just 0.2 percent last month. Despite concern over the dollar's flight, the Fed is unlikely to put its inflation record at risk by relaxing monetary policy significantly, many analysts say.

Board Says 50% of Miners Working; Scargill Disagrees, Remains Defiant

LONDON --- The National Coal Board asserted Wednesday that more than 50 percent of Britain's miners were working in defiance of the 50-week coal strike. A government minister declared that the

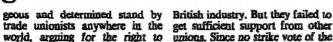
walkout was finished. But the president of the National Union of Mineworkers, Arthur Scargill, refused to accept defeat and disputed the board's figures, saying that 61 percent of his work-

ers were still on strike. The board said more than 1.200 more miners returned to the coal pits Wednesday, putting its figure of the number of working miners at over 93,500 of the mining force of

This would put the strikers in a minority for the first time since the nationwide strike began March 12.

The best thing now by far would be for the NUM to get the whole industry working again," Energy Secretary Peter Walker Mr. Scargill knows the strike is finished."

But Mr. Scargill said on the BBC



He also criticized other union-

ists.
"When history comes to examine this dispute there will be a glaring omission - the fact that trade unionists have been standing on the sidelines while this union has

been battered," he said. the level of 50 percent "a milestone in the return of sanity in the mining

The union called its members out on strike to oppose the governshut 20 umprofitable mines and

eliminate 20,000 jobs. Mr. Scargill says that a mine, even if unprofitable, must stay open until it is unsafe or its coal

The miners tried to win the strike by forcing power cuts and crippling

trade unionists anywhere in the get sufficient support from other world, argning for the right to unions. Since no strike vote of the full union membership was taken, some miners never joined the

The miners' cause was hurt by violence by some strikers and by the union's effort to get support from Colonel Moamer Qadhari of

seen battered," he said.

A coal board spokesman called bring the British economy to a be level of 50 percent "a milestone grinding halt, and the trade unions didn't go along with him," a high British official said.

Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher "stood up to him and now ment-appointed board's plan to Scargill has been screwed to the wall," he said.

> The official said Wednesday was "a day to smile" for Mrs. Thatcher's administration, since more than 50 percent of the miners were at work and because the British pound strengthened after days of



VATICAN MEETING — Pope John Paul II and Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko of the Soviet Union met Wednesday for the first time since January 1979 to discuss world peace and the situation of Catholics in the Soviet Union. Asked later how he judged the encounter, Mr. Gromyko replied in English: "It was good."

Reagan Begins Lobbying Hard for the MX Missile

mittee, Les Aspin, Democrat of of a package deal tying the produc-tion of the 21 missiles to the later while hedging his support for pro-MX production and to other arms duction of more missiles later. control matters. But these people said the administration had rejected the idea.

Mr. Aspin helped orchestrate a port the 21 missiles. compromise last year that kept the MX alive as long as arms control talks appeared to be on track.

would vote, although a source close Wisconsin, had urged construction to him said Tuesday that he would

People on both sides of the MX dispute said that without his opposition, the House was likely to sup-Until 1983, the MX was intend-

He has not said this year how he increasingly accurate Soviet missiles. Failing an agreement on such basing the administration now plans to put 100 of the new missiles n existing Minuteman missile si-

In his testimony Tuesday, Mr. Weinberger said the administration had no plans to change that plan. But he said the missile was still necessary because its 10 warticads ed to be moved about on vehicles or and improved accuracy would

He said that the United States and the Soviet Union "must try to hidden in silos as a remedy against counter modern Soviet missiles.

find a formula under which we can live together in dignity." Mr. Kampelman, told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that did not apologize for the remarks although the Soviet Union was a and instead protested the behavior

The testimony Tuesday by Mr. Kampelman, the administration's

new chief arms control negotiator,

were his first public comments

since being named to head the delegation to the Geneva arms talks.

'repressive" and an "aggressive so- of French troops, the radio said. ciety," the United States "dares not and cannot blow the Soviet Union against terrorist attacks staged by Shiite elements who are the com-"We cannot wish it away," he mon enemies of France, Israel and the free world," Mr. Sofer told re-

said, arguing for the necessity of pursuing the negotiations, which porters in Paris. the Israelis raided Shiite villages, French troops in the UN force have U.S. Envoy

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minister, Erwin Lanc, with a pro-U.S. politician, Leopold Gratz. In an interview, Mr. Sinowatz said he and Mrs. von Damm were peacekeepers had "no right to im-

This is something very special," he said. "A young Austrian girl Lebanon, The Associated Press re-emigrates, goes to America, tri- ported from New York." and rice, the destruction of the irri-gation system in the southern reumphs and comes back as ambassador. It's really a fairy tale."

There are other, unkinder apcrisis, the secretary-general said praisals to be heard in this gossipy that the UN force also lacked the city. But Mrs. von Damm seems content to ignore them.

"Any time people lead their lives sures against guerrillas in southern the way they see it, and they go a Lebanon.] little bit out of the norm, obviously you also have to expect that not everybody 'befurworten' that, nicht?" she asked, borrowing the

German word for approves.

"But I'm a little used to that," she said, "because I don't think my life has been that cut and dry."





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Mafia Families

The Associated Press

five-family structure evolved in the 1930s following a bloody

shakeout of leadership. The first top boss, Giuseppe

Masseria, was murdered in

April 1931 and Salvatore Mar-

anzano assumed the title "boss of bosses" briefly before being

Salvatore (Lucky) Luciano

then engineered a reorganiza-

tion that instituted a national "commission" of top family bosses from around the United

States and divided New York

All the families are involved

in narcotics, gambling and loansharking, plus other activi-

ties, according to government documents that describe the

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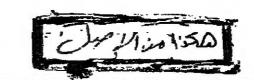
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White House **Issues Threat** To Veto Aid **For Farmers**

By David Hoffman and Helen Dewar

Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan has been urged by all his senior advisers to veto legislation pending in the Senate to provide additional credit relief to farmers, the White House spokesman said Wednesday.
The spokesman, Larry Speakes.

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indicated that President Reagan would probably veto two major amendments that were expected to be attached to an African famine

He said the White House was also unhappy with the size of the famine relief bill.

Mr. Reagan believes there is "runaway federal participation" in farm programs that eventually must be scaled back, Mr. Speakes said. He criticized Democrats who are pushing the farm aid amend-

"The Democrats cried 'Deficit!" in the campaign and the first thing they do is send up budget-busting" farm legislation, Mr. Reagan's spokesman said.

The proposed legislation would go considerably beyond steps taken by the administration last week. It would further case credit terms, providing \$100 million for federally subsidized interest payments, and increase funds available for

loan guarantees by \$1.8 billion. One particularly controversial provision, which could result in government assumption of bad loans with the banks bearing little or no share of the cost, was expected to be shelved, increasing pros-pects for Republican support of the

On Tuesday, Senate Republican leaders resorted to delaying tactics to fend off possible passage of the farm legislation.

With Democrats and dissident farm-state Republicans within striking distance of passing the legislation, Majority Leader Robert J. Dole, Republican of Kansas, put off a vote Tuesday on the issue and hinted at further delaying tactics if it appeared the measure would be

adopted. He acknowledged that he was not sure he had the votes to stop the farm legislation.

The Republicans, meanwhile, acknowledged that their efforts to reduce the budget deficit were in serious trouble.

The Senate Budget Committee chairman, Senator Pete V. Domenici of New Mexico, said after a epublican discussion of deficit reduction prospects that "the chances of getting anything are not very good."

Senator Dole conceded that the effort was made "more difficult" by news from Senator Domenic that it would take \$64 billion in spending cuts next year, half again as much as estimated only two months ago, to meet the Republicans' target of maximum \$100-billion deficits by fiscal 1988.

Senator Domenici presented an outline for achieving the goal that included freezes in defense spending and Social Security retirement and disability payments, along with nearly all of the drastic domestic spending cuts that President Reagan has proposed.

The outline was a "pretty scary piece of paper," a Republican sena-tor said as he emerged from the session. A staff member who attended the meeting described the senators as stumped.

Another complicating factor was opposition to a defense freeze from Republicans on the Armed Services Committee. They said Tuesday that they would accept no less than a 4 percent after-inflation increase for defense, which would save \$11 billion next year as opposed to \$20 billion in savings from a freeze.

The 4-percent increase, however, is lower than President Reagan's request for a 5.9-percent increase.

■ Gloomy Estimate on Deficit The Congressional Budget Office projects that even if Congress approves all the spending cuts proposed by President Reagan, the annual federal budget deficit will remain federal budget deficit will retion Feb. 7 of Mr. Camarena, 37. a rest of the decade, The New York Times reported Wednesday.

The oudget office, according to congressional sources, projects a deficit of \$186 billion in 1986, \$185 billion in 1987 and \$186 billion in 1988. The deficits for both 1989 and 1990 are projected at \$187 bil-

President Reagan has projected that the deficit, now more than \$200 billion, would decline to \$180 billion in 1986 and to \$144 billion by 1988 if his cuts were approved. In the budget he submitted to Congress earlier this month, Mr. Reagan proposed spending cuts total-



Kim Paris, a private investigator.

How a Texas Detective Ensnared Her Man

By Paul Taylor ington Post Service

AUSTIN, Texas — A young Houston private eye on her first case befriended a suspect in a three-year-old murder case, dated him for two and a half months and told him she could not consider his marriage proposal until he revealed the dark secret he had hinted he

was carrying.

The prospective bridegroom told his secret Thursday, not knowing that Kim Paris, 23, had a tape recorder in her purse.

When he had confessed all, Ms. Paris said, she told him she needed

a cigarette, and they drove to a nearby convenience store. She got out of the car. It was the last he saw of her.

Moments later, police officers who had been monitoring the conversation arrived and charged David Duval West, 28, with the 1982 killings of a prominent Houston lawyer, James Campbell, 55, and his wife, Virginia, 50. They were shot in their sleep as two of their grandchildren slept at the foot of their bed.

Police said one of the Campbells' four daughters, Cynthia Helen Ray, prevailed on Mr. West, her boyfriend at the time, to kill her

parents so she could collect her share of an estate estimated to be worth \$2 million. Mr. Ray was charged Saturday with murder.

The Campbells' three other daughters hired Clyde Wilson Investigations late last year. Clyde Wilson said Cynthia Ray, known as the family's "problem child," and Mr. West had been suspects from the

year in the agency's insurance-fraud division, surreptitiously videolaping accident victims who claimed they had been incapacitated. After "intensive coaching" by detectives, she insinuated herself into

Ms. Paris knocked on Mr. West's door one evening and feigned embarrassment when his roommate said the person she was looking

up a conversation. That night she spent three hours with Mr. West and his roommate at a bar. Ms. Paris said she and Mr. West saw each other "about three or

four nights a week" thereafter, on a strictly platonic basis.

Regarding sex, she said: "I kept dancing around that subject.

Actually, it wasn't that hard. He fancies himself an intellectual, being on a higher plane than most people. David and I spent a lot of time discussing history and politics and religion."

Mr. West, a delivery boy for a blueprint company, is a survivalist and a gun collector.

When he proposed, Ms. Paris encouraged him to tell her the "awful" thing about his past to which he had alluded in earlier conversations. At that point, the detective agency contacted police and the district attorney's office, and Ms. Paris was given the tape Does she have any regrets?

"I have no qualms about what I did, no," she said.

U.S. Accepts Word

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Held in Abduction

MEXICO CITY — U.S. officials

said they are convinced that three former Mexican security officers

questioned in the kidnapping of a U.S. narcotics agent were not in-

The U.S. Embassy's press atta-ché, Lee Johnson, said "the Mexi-

can authorities have determined

they were not involved in the kid-

Asked what their release could

mean to the investigation of the abduction of Enrique Camarena

The three former security offi-

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1970 U.S. Statute Led to Crackdown on the Mafia

New York Times Service NEW YORK — For 53 years a secret, seemingly impenetrable group called the "commission" was what the authorities now call the guiding force behind organized crime in New York and other major cities in the United States

Through occasional whispers gleaned by electronic eavesdropping and uncorroborated tips from informants, law enforcement offi-cials suspected that the leaders of the live crime groups in New York met regularly as the commission to resolve disputes and distribute mil-lions of dollars in criminal spoils.

Now the Justice Department believes it has finally destroyed the commission, largely through provicommission, largely through provi-sions of a federal statute, the Rack-eral Bureau of Investigation has

factions and four of their tops aides were indicted Tuesday on racke- families teering charges in U.S. District Court in Manhattan.

an unprecedented crackdown vantage of the statute. against organized crime in the

Mainly through the statute, federal prosecutors in the last two years have indicted more than 2,000 suspects, including 300 in the New York metropolitan area, who have been identified as members of traditional organized crime groups.

Before 1970, prosecutors were limited to seeking indictments for specific acts, such as the commis-sion of a crime, or to finding wit-nesses who would testify about a criminal conspiracy.

A key provision of the statute prohibits the operation of an "enterprise" by a pattern of racketeerracketoering with evidence that de- prises.

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fendants were guilty of conspiring Through the indictments Tues- dicts.

federal or state crimes.

The nine men indicted Tuesday were accused of a pattern of racke-teering by linking them to conspiracies to commit six murders and the extortion of \$1.4 million from concrete contractors in the city. The indictment asserted that the commission had rigged bids and

NEWS ANALYSIS obtained kickbacks on all concrete industry projects of \$2 million or

more in the city.

If convicted, each defendant faces up to 20 years in prison and an attempt by prosecutors to con-liscate assets gained from the ille-

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et al. Durcan of investigation of investigation of investigation and commonly called RICO. Under it provisions, the five re- Department detectives have been puted leaders of New York's crime assigned full time to investigating each of the live crime factions or

G. Robert Blakey, an organizedcrime expert who helped draft the The statute has been the favorite RICO law, said in an interview that weapon used by federal prosecu-tors in New York and elsewhere in

"Previously law enforcement was a like a wolf to a herd of animals," said Mr. Blakey, a professor of law at the University of Notre Dame in South Bend, Indiana, "Prosecutors looked for single cases, they picked off the sick and wounded, and only made the herd

 organized crime — stronger.* Through the RICO statute, federal prosecutors have indicted the commission and one group, the Co-lombo family, as criminal enter-

Officials said that federal prosecutors in Manhattan and Brooklyn also expected to bring indictments against four other families — the Gambino, Lucchese, Genovese and ing. The prosecution can prove Bonanno groups - as illegal enter-



Paul Castellano, alleged leader of the Gambino family, leaves federal court in New York City after posting bail.

day, officials said they had reached

liani, the U.S. attorney in Manhat-tan, whose office headed the inves-

The charges of extortion in the concrete industry, Mr. Giuliani said, was only one example of "hid-den taxes" imposed by the Malia. "Things cost a lot more in New York because of the mob," he said. He also asserted that organized

crime had been principally responsible for illegal narcotics in the city and thus "there is a direct relation to violent crime" committed by ad-

Mr. Giuliani said an object of the in America.

"It is a great day for law enforcement, probably the worst day for the Mafia," said Rudolph W. Giu
"Mr. Blakev said the indictments

Mr. Blakey said the indictments of five leaders was "a major blow" to long-established crime groups. "To run a family, requires exper-tise," he explained. "It also proves that to be boss no longer means you're immune, it means you're in-

None of the purported mob chiefs indicted by federal grand ju-ries in the New York area in the last 18 months have been tried or convicted. But Mr. Giuliani said his office had a conviction record of

nography, cigarette smuggling and legitimate businesses. Bonanno — 195 members, in New York and Arizona, in pornography, pizza parlors, restau-rants and coffee houses.

Lucchese — 100 members, mainly in New York City, in construction, garment and gar-bage disposal businesses.

Democrats' Rift Grows; Rival Policy Unit Planned

By Dan Balz and David S. Broder

Washington Past Service WASHINGTON — The regional cleavage within the Democratic Party widened this week. While the party's national chairman, Paul G. Kirk Jr., announced the first appointments to his Democratic National Policy Council, a group of Southern and Western Democrats pressed forward with plans to cre-

ate a party council of their own. The Southern and Western offi-als, led by Governor Charles S. Robb of Virginia, Governor Bruce Babbitt of Arizona, Senator Sam Nunn of Georgia and Representa-tive Richard A. Gephardt of Mis-souri, plan to unveil their Democratic Leadership Council later this

hope to provide fresh ideas for the party as it seeks to reshape its image. But the group's other purpose, according to its leaders, is to offer a haven for disaffected officials who say that the national committee is a

The two organizations were the subject of intensive discussions during the winter meeting of the

persists on both. Mr. Kirk, who won an endorsement for his group at a meeting Saturday of Democratic governors, said Tuesday he was pleased with the way events had unfolded.

more," he said.

Mr. Kirk added that he is "not insensitive" to the concerns of the Southern and Western officials and hopes that "our objectives are com-

Governor Bob Graham of Florida, a supporter of the dissident expressed reservations about Mr. Kirk's organization. "I don't think it can be seen as independent or credible," he said.

Mr. Kirk's organization will be headed by the former governor of Utah, Scott M. Matheson. Five governors agreed Tuesday to sit on the commission: Mr. Babbitt,

National Governors' Association, chairman of the Democratic Gov- and that he intends to resume which ended Tuesday. Mr. Kirk ernors' Association; Michael S. speaking out about President Ronsaw the Robb-Babbitt group as a Dukakis of Massachusetts; Rich- ald Reagan's policies, United Press potential threat to his efforts to and W. Riley of South Carolina; International reported. rebuild the party. And while the Martha Layne Collins of Kentwo sides reached the outward apuncky, and John Carlin of Kansas. Wednesday in the Martha Layne Collins of Kansas. pearance of harmony, skepticism chairman of the National Governors' Association.

"For virtually all the governors ers come from the South and West. to move on a resolution to endorse with the exception of Governor and Senator John Glenn of Ohio.

"I want to offer an olive branch to Southerners and Westerners who feel estranged from what's been happening," Mr. Blanchard said.

The second group plans to develop policy proposals, showcase nger Democratic leaders and involve itself in such party issues as the presidential nominating process, according to organizers.

The 1984 Democratic presidential candidate, Walter F. Mondale, said he has recovered from the fatigue that followed his election loss

In an interview published Wednesday in the Minneapolis Star and Tribune in Mr. Mondale's home state of Minnesota, he denied The opposition council is envi-sioned as initially having about 20 life because of emotional distress. that he had retreated from public members, divided among gover-nors, senators and House members. The interview was the first be has given since the November election, Nearly all the prospective organiz- when he was defeated by President

"I wonldn't call it depression," Mr. Mondale said. There was a period of fatigue. I mean I was bone tired. It seems those experiences just sear themselves into your psyche, so that you get so attuned to the fight that it takes a long time to adjust."

He said that "the first month or so I'd wake up at 3 in the morning still debating, still getting ready for the next speech.

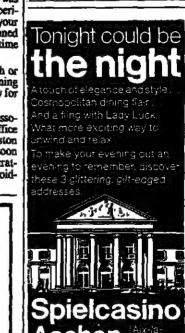
Mr. Mondale, 57, has been associated with the Washington office of the Chicago law firm of Winston and Strawn. He said he would soon become a full partner, concentrating on international law, but avoiding lobbying.

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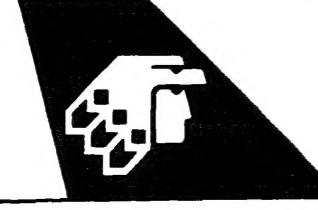
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They were identified as Tomás Morlet Borquez, a former member of the Federal Security Police; Enrique González Aguilar, a former lieutenant colonel in Mexico City's transit police; and Eduardo Ramirez Ortiz, a former federal secu-

A fourth man, Marciano Belaz-tejoitia, arrested Monday in Guadalajara for allegedly piloting a plane used by a reputed marijuana grower, Rafael Caro Quintero, to slip out of the city. The director of the U.S. drug agency, Francis M. Mullen Jr., called Mr. Caro Quintero a suspect in the kidnapping.

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Mauritanian Leader Says His Nation **Needs Education Before Democracy**

By Edward Schumacher New York Times Service

NOUAKCHOTT, Mauritania The military officer who took power in a coup in December has said that Mauritanians must first be educated before the country could be turned over to democracy.

The officer, Colonel Maouya Sidi Ahmed Ould Taya, declined to say how long that might take. But he appeared to rule out the possibility of a quick return to democracy, as the military pledged in 1978 when it overthrew the civilian one-

In the meantime, he said in an interview, respect for human rights is one of three main goals he has set. The others, he said, are ending corruption and promoting national

According to Western diplomats, Colonel Taya has freed all 169 political prisoners seized by his predecessor. Lieutenant Colonel Mohammed Khouna Ould Hiadalla, although the former president himself remains under house

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National Salvation," Colonel Taya aid. But Western diplomats and said of the ruling junta, "has not Mauritanian officials said a more decided what to do with him. But basic factor was that Colonel Haidon't worry about him. As I told dalla had grown too independent you, we will respect human rights." of the ruling junta.

Colonel Taya chose his words carefully, at times correcting his interpreter. A leather-bound copy from the war between Morocco of the Koran and a small Mauritanian flag sat on his desk.

The colonel went to particular pains to thank the United States for its \$23 million in aid, most of it to Algeria, dividing the five counto help overcome a devastating drought. Although no one has died of starvation in recent years, according to international relief officials, the economy is in such min that 94 percent of the food is either donated or imported from abroad.

Mauritania, a desert nation that occupies the southwest corner of the Sahara, has a population of 1.7 million, making it one of the most sparsely populated countries.

Colonel Taya, who was head of the army, seized power Dec. 12 while Colonel Haidalla was out of the country.

In the interview Monday, Coloest. nel Taya accused his predecessor of "The Military Committee for corruption that involved some food

Hanging over the new govern-ment have been the repercussions and the Algerian-backed Polisario Front guerrillas over the Western Sahara, a former Spanish colony. The war has threatened to spread tries of northwest.

"The conflict in the Western Sahara is poisoning the atmosphere in the region," Colonel Taya said. He has moved quickly to re-establish Mauritania's traditional

neutralism. Colonel Haidalla broke relations with Morocco after a Moroccan-backed coup failed in 1981, and joined an alliance with Algeria and Tunisia that implicitly aligned the three against Morocco and Lib-

In an indication of military displeasure with that policy, Colonel Taya has approved the resumption of flights between Mauritania and Morocco, and an exchange of ambassadors is expected soon.

He also has moved to normalize relations with Libya. All Libyan diplomats were evicted after three earlier coup attempts, the last in

"What we really want is to have relations with all countries in the region," he said.

Neutrality is said to be in part a response to threats from King Hassan II of Morocco to send his army in pursuit of Polisario guerrillas who cross through northern Mauri-tania from Algeria. Mauritania's 13,000-man army has little control over the barren Saharan wastes. Saudi Arabia and Kuwait, more-

over, made neutrality - and some diplomats say the coup — all the more attractive by offering to roll over \$30 million in past-due debt. The rollover was signed weeks after the coup.

The Saudis and the French know

of the coup beforehand, while the United States was caught by surprise, according to informed Europeans. France, the former colonial master in Mauritania, still assigns its own officers to the Mauritanian

Army.
Colonel Taya said that Mauritania still morally supports the Poli-

We recognize self-determina-tion and on that basis we recognize the Saharan Democratic Arab Republic," he said, using the name of the entity that the Polisario has the second concession in a week by proclaimed in the Western Sahara. The military also is pushing ahead with an education program that stresses Arabic in the schools. if the official blueprint was ig-



South African officials and workers demotish shacks at the Crossroads camp.

South Africa Shifts, Says It Will Let Some Blacks Stay at Squatter Camp

By Alan Cowell New York Times Service

JOHANNESBURG - The authorities say they are prepared to develop the Crossroads squatter camp outside Cape Town as a black residential area, apparently abandoning plans to raze it. However, Gerrit Viljoen, the

white minister responsible for the destinies of many blacks, told Parliament in Cape Town on Tuesday that some blacks in the camp who refused to cooperate with his plan for redevelopment could still face compulsory resettlement.

Last week, 18 people died in clashes prompted by rumors that the squatter population was about to be forcibly removed. Rightist whites opposed to the government's racial policy said Tuesday that the minister's announcement represented a capitulation to black pressurés.

The move seemed to represent a further departure from Afrikaner Nationalist orthodoxy that holds that there should be no permanent black residents in the area around Cape Town, which is reserved for whites and people of mixed racial descent.

The announcement represented the white authorities toward blacks in the Cape Town area, but seemed offset by a threat of forcible action

"I am prepared to allow the up-grading and development of the areas on which the Crossroads and KTC squatter camps are situated,"

Mr. Viljoen said, provided the bulk knowledged black townships of the name given by residents to a acquire 99-year leases. squatter camp in an area adjacent

Previously the government had insisted that all Crossroads residents, estimated to number be-tween 60,000 and 100,000, be moved to a new township for black people at Khayelitsha, 10 miles (16 kilometers) away.

Crossroads residents have resisted the move because, they say, the cost of living in the new township will be higher and they fear the authorities will use the relocation to send "illegal" residents back to the tribal homelands they left to seek work in Cape Town.

Town should be moved to Khayesaid residents of the legally ac- sons.

of the squatters there "cooperate in Langa, Nyanga and Guguletu the renewal of these areas." KTC is would be permitted to stay on and

By the minister's estimates, there are 10,000 shacks in Crossroads, but there is room on the cramped area for only 3.000 houses. That means that 7,000 families — at least 40,000 people - still face the prospect of forced removal to havelitsha

The minister indicated in Parliament that Crossroads residents could be forcibly resettled if they refused to move to Khayelitsha.

Many residents of Crossroads live there in open violation of South African laws that seek to control the numbers of blacks in the major urban areas. However, Mr. Viljoen said he was prepared to The government's initial plan negotiate with the "ilegals." At was that all blacks around Cape Khayelitsha, the authorities have set aside an area for what is termed litsha, but last week Mr. Viljoen "orderly squatting" by such per-

Aquino Trial Suspended As Several Witnesses Fail to Appear in Court

MANILA - The trial of General Fabian C. Ver and 25 others for the murder in 1983 of an opposition leader, Benigno S. Aquino Jr., was suspended Wednesday after several witnesses failed to appear.

The presiding justice, Manuel Pamaran, ordered prosecution lawyers to find the witnesses by Mon-day, when the trial is scheduled to

The witnesses included four private security guards at the airport and a cargo loader who gave testimony before a fact-finding board contradicting the military claim that the opposition leader was shot by Rolando Galman, an alleged Communist agent.

The 26 men on trial, including General Ver, who was the armed forces chief, are charged with the killings of Mr. Aquino and Mr. Galman. The two men were killed at the Manila airport on Aug. 21, 1983, as Mr. Aquino returned after three years of self-exile in the Unit-

The fact-finding board had con-cluded that one of the five soldiers who took the former senator down from the plane was the assassin.

One witness who showed up at the courthouse was Celso Loterenia, an airline ground engineer. He told the board he saw Mr. Aquino shot from behind as he was being taken by soldiers down a stairway from the plane, but he later recanted his testimony.

Prosecutors said they had not decided whether to put him on the witness stand because of his con-

After telling the court that his witnesses could not be located, the chief prosecutor, Manuel Herrera, told reporters: "I hope they will be able to testify. We'll try our best to locate them.

Sheriffs said the five had left their jobs and moved out of their bomes without leaving new ad-

Sheriffs in their official report to three airport guards - Efren fiscal year on April 1.

Ranas, 22, Olivia Reyes, 20, Wilson llasos, 32 — and their supervisor. Ramon Layoso, 57, were not served because they could not find them in their security agency offices or at their known addresses.

The officials said they were told that the fifth person, Fred Viesca, 27, an airport cargo loader, had

Two of the four had expressed fear for their lives when they testified before the fact-finding board last year, None of the five said they saw the actual shooting.

Prosecutors said another witness, Ramon Balang, an airline ground engineer, had agreed to testify next week. Mr. Balang told the board Mr. Galman was in no position to shoot Mr. Aquino because he was surrounded by soldiers and appeared to be smiling when Mr. Aquino was killed. Mr. Balang also said he did not see the killing

Another prosecution witness scheduled to testify next week is a woman passenger on Mr. Aquino's plane who came out of the plane crying hysterically. She is believed to have seen the actual shooting.

Boycott Stymies Japanese Diet The Associated Press

TOKYO — Major opposition parties began Wednesday what could be a protracted boycott of all proceedings in the Dict, Japan's parliament, after the ruling Liberal Democratic Party would not agree to demands for an income tax cut.

The boycott was called after the party declined Tuesday to respond to the opposition's proposed revisions of the budget for the 1985 fiscal year, including tax cuts of 1.1 trillion year (\$4.2 billion).

The walkout is expected to stop all Diet deliberations this week and could keep the Liberal Democratic Party from its goal of passing this the court said the subpoenas for year's budget before the start of the

In Tokyo, an Existence on the Margins of Society

Skid Row, Japanese-Style, Attracts Alcoholics and Those With Nowhere to Go

New York Times Service

hoods, the narrow streets nearby the dirt ground into their ragged are lined with coffee shops and clothes. They jeer at passing wompast the intersection where con- bars for a drink and a bet. demned men were once led over the Some mumble to themselves, or

"bridge of tears" to be executed, ramble about their experiences in rary shelter and medical clinic in the clues begin.

TOKYO - There are no clear Here, in what most of the world signposts to Sanya, home of this sees as orderly, clean, comfortable, middle-class Japan, men wander As in so many Tokyo neighbor- about drinking from sake bottles,

Sanya merely as a place to avoid, noodle shops, tiny bars and ferro- en. They crouch outside boarding type of people live - dirty, rude, concrete apartment buildings. But houses and crowd into open-air poor, potentially violent.

selves by fires, and sometimes, too tired or too drunk, they fall in and ciety, he said, but others - the burn themselves. Most residents of Tokyo know

where, they say, a very un-Japanese But Sanya intruded on public

gangsters despise. The killing is a matter of debate.

A group of Japanese touched off a riot that brought hundreds of policemen to Sanya. They stayed for a few hours, restored shelter in a small church estimate order and left.

Throughout Tokyo's history, the hundreds of thousands of prisoners tions of Shinjuku and Ueno. were executed nearby. The modern were executed nearby. The modern Sanya was created after World War the toll that life in Sanya exacts. II, when Tokyo's homeless were sheltered there in tents. Now there

Sanya's 395 acres (160 hectares). Since the war, Sanya has been home mostly to day laborers, men who line up each morning to wait for construction crews to pick them out for a day's work at a site. It also is home to the mentally ill, the acutely alcoholic, the gangsters who prey on them and the leftist fringe groups that offer help and point to Sanya as an example of official callousness. The govern-ment estimates the district's population at 7,000.

The residents of Sanva live outside all the categories that normally define, and support, an individual in Japan: company, community, family. They dely convention, and distributes food. some because they want to, but many others because they have nowhere else to go.

about Sanya as if nonplussed by in the summer. people who they believe deliberately set themselves outside the social order. Yuji Mori, deputy director of the Tokyo city government's Tokyo Olympic Games provided Sanya office, said the Sanya people plenty of jobs. Those who remain chose to live as they do.

tablished a soup kitchen, tempo- than 10 years.

World War II. Others warm them- Sanya, thinks the reality is more disturbing. Some have rejected somentally ill or alcoholics - drift to Sanya because society has rejected

There are people living on Sanya's streets, too, who cannot afford to pay for boarding houses, which may put six men up in one small notice after a recent murder. A room. When there is work, there is gangster shot and killed a filmmak- money, and some laborers mainer whom he mistakenly believed to tain bank accounts. How many do be allied with the leftist groups the not and have to sleep on the streets

that 200 to 300 people sleep on Sanya's streets every night, but the area now called Sanya, a part of Tokyo city government believes eastern Tokyo not marked as such that figure is exaggerated. It has on any city map, has been a fear-some place. From 1600 to the mid-less at about 1,000, with most sleep-1800s, when Tokyo was called Edo, ing near the huge commuter sta-

The Tokyo city office says that 37 people died in Sanya in 1984, from are 197 boarding houses within alcohol-related illnesses exposure or other causes, Dr. Masahiko Katori, a physician who works one day a week in a nearby welfare center, estimates that 90 to 100 people died on the streets alone.

Mr. Mori said he considered the government's most important task that of helping Sanya residents find jobs, rather than establishing alcoholism centers.

The government provides unemployment benefits, welfare payments, a medical clinic and government-supported job placements. During the weeklong New Year's holiday, when the country shuts down and there is no work to be had, it also provides free shelter

Mr. Mori said that conditions in Sanya had improved considerably there else to go.

Public officials tend to talk boarding houses cleaner and cooler

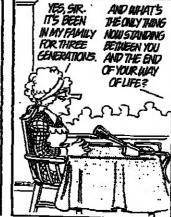
Sanya's population of day laborin Sanya are growing older, their "They want freedom," Mr. Mori said. "They hate any kinds of restrictions, even the bonds of fam-The Tokyo Metropolitan gov-

ernment says 50 percent of Sanya The Reverend William J. residents were older than 40 in Grimm, a priest from the Mary- 1980, and 17.2 percent were over knoll order in the United States, 60. Last year 41.4 percent of Sanwho with other clergymen has es- ya's residents had been there more

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Amputee Nerve Impulses

By Daniel Q. Haney

The Associated Press

AMBRIDGE, Massachusetts

Amputees may someday be able to connect themselves directly to computer keyboards and type simply by thinking thanks to an implantable silicon chip that detects nerve impulses, a scientist

The chip could also have many applications in building better artificial limbs, bridging broken spinal cords and helping the deal to hear, said Dr. David Edell of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The idea is to pick up the faint electrical current in an amputee's stump and to translate these impulses into the kind of current that could be used to move an artificial arm or direct a computer.

Einstein Had Extra Cells In His Brain

BERKELEY, California — An anatomy professor who has studied sections of Albert Ein-stein's brain says the scientist had 73 percent more of a certain kind of cell than does the average brain. Professor Marian Diamond of

the University of California at Berkeley spent the past six months slicing apart bits of the physicist's

brain and counting the cells.

There are two kinds of brain cells, she explained. Neuron cells do the thinking and conduct nerve impulses while glial cells, or neuroglia, supply nourishment and do the more mundane chores.

In part of the left side of Einstein's brain, Professor Diamond found 73 percent more glial cells for every neuron than in the average brain. That might be the reason Einstein was so smart, although she

said she could not be sure. Professor Diamond said she got the idea for the project after seeing a picture of Einstein's preserved brain in an old science magazine. But the brain was owned by a Missouri pathologist, one of the doctors who did the autopsy on the physicist after his death in 1955, and he was reluctant to part with it. After three years of cajoling, he

sent four small chunks. "It was rather an overwhelming feeling," she said. "There I was, looking at the brain that came up with the theory of relativity."

Professor Diamond has spen years studying the neuron-glial re-lationship in rats. She found that rats that were given lots of treadmills and other things to play with and exercise on develop more glial cells for every neuron, as Einstein

Massive Sarcophagus Is Unearthed in Egypt The Associated Press

CAIRO - Egyptian archaeologists have unearthed a 24-ton sarcophagus, the largest yet found for Dr. Sayyed Tawfik of Cairo University's College of Antiquities said the empty granite sarcophagus, found near Cairo, belonged to Nephrenbet, prime minister under Rameses II in about 1300 B. C.

SCIENCE

AIDS Fear Underlines Growing Importance of Blood for Medical Treatments

By Lawrence K. Altman New York Times Service

ESPITE the recent announcement by federal officials that the long-awaited AIDS blood test would be delayed at least until the end of next month, there is a palpable sense of relief among many doc-tors and the public that a reliable test will soon be available.

Implicit in the optimism is this fact: Blood has become a cornerstone of modern medicine, more significant to treatment than many drugs. In the United States, doctors prescribe about 12 million transfusions for about 3.5 million patients each year.

The new test, though not perfect, is expected to detect almost all blood contaminated by the virus that causes the fatal acquired immune deficiency syndrome, or AIDS, before it gets into the blood-supply system. Thus the test is ex-pected to restore confidence in the integrity of the blood supply, whose uses are more varied and essential than physicians could have imagined only a decade ago.

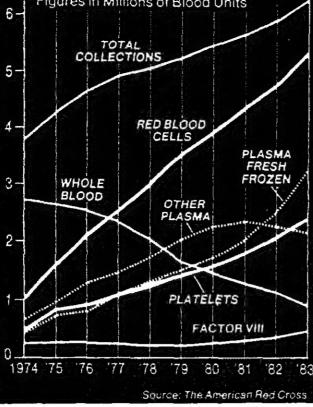
In recent years blood products have been used to significantly in-crease the success of organ transplants, to improve the care of newborns as well as of older people, to make possible the development of more effective cancer chemotherapy and to protect against several infections.

"Blood transfusion has had an impact on the practice of medicine beyond any single antibiotic," said Dr. Johanna Pindyck, vice president and director of the New York Blood Center.

"It is a toss-up between transfu-sions and anesthesia as to which has had a greater impact on surgery," she said. "You could put people to sleep and still not do the procedures that you are able to do now if it weren't for blood transfusions. Moreover, the whole health care system could not have devel-

Valuable Parts While use of whole blood declines, use of fractionated blood climbs. Figures in Millions of Blood Units TOTAL COLLECTIONS

Blood and Its



The fractionation of a unit of liquid portion of blood, to provide blood into its many component flu-id and cellular parts has made replace the blood lost in such conblood a crucial tool of medical ditions as bleeding and shock.

A half-century ago, a blood bank by one individual can serve many was called on to supply only two patients. Blood can be fractionated the loss of an items, whole blood and plasma, the into such components as red cells, amount of blood.

vice," Dr. Edell said.

muscles when to move.

Finding a way to tap into these

make life easier for amputees.

computer, could move the artificial

"If we can succeed in making this interface a clinically useful

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bring out control signals that are very closely related to the original

muscle function." Dr. Edell said.

"Once this is available, industry

could produce a sophisticated artificial arm that could have similar

capabilities to the original arm.

should be able to make a link that

would allow people to type and operate other computer-controlled

machinery in industry," such as lathes and drill presses.

nected directly by wire to a computer terminal. The amputee could

type by thinking something like: "Press t' with my index finger."

Dr. Edell said this kind of system

could be built within about three to

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"At the very least," he said, "we

platelets, plasma, albumen and The study, by Dr. Bruce A. Factor VIII for hemophiliaes. Friedman at the University of Modern medical practice calls for Michigan, showed that the other

whole blood. been severe. In the summer of 1983, ings in the wall of the body's main panic and misunderstanding over artery.

AIDS led many people to stop donating blood, and unusually large dramatic medical advances has re-

almost everyone who has received a given before transplants. The opti-blood transfusion lives with the mal number seems to be five trans-

The threat has been particularly severe for hemophiliaes, who rely on Factor VIII, a substance in the ing, is characterized by an absence effective against that disease. of Factor VIII.

For the population at large, the fear of contracting AIDS through blood and blood products has far exceeded the number of cases traced to such transmission. Only 177 patients, including 61 hemohiliaes, have come down with AIDS as a result of transfusions of blood or blood products. There had been 8,314 cases of AIDS reported to the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta as of Feb. 11.

Blood transfusions are the most successful of all transplants, and transfusions are used most for surgical patients. In New York about 10 percent of the blood used is for coronary bypass surgery and other open-heart operations. William J. Schroeder, the second recipient of a permanent artificial heart, has had more than 30 transfusions.

A national study done in 1979, the latest available, found that considerable blood was also used for hip surgery to repair fractures and damage caused by arthritis, be-cause these procedures can lead to Now the unit of blood donated the loss of an extraordinary

giving patients only the specific leading conditions requiring blood fractions they need, not units of transfusions are intestinal bleedthole blood. ing, peptic ulcers, anemia, cancer and aortic aneurysms, or balloon-

shortages developed in some areas sulted from the use of transfusions f the country.

In kidney transplant surgery: SurDespite the relatively small risk, vival is extended if transfusions are

A less spectacular but equally important development has been the impact on preventive medicine. blood that promotes clotting. Ho A vaccine made from the blood of mophilia, a hereditary disorder that carriers of the virus that causes the can lead to uncontrollable bleed- liver infection hepatitis B is highly

Injections of gamma globulin prepared from blood, are effective in helping to prevent hepatitis A. chicken pox and rabies. Develop-ment of forms of gamma globulin that can be injected into the veins has made less painful a treatment of a congenital form of immune deficiency that is unrelated to AIDS.

Jaundice of the newborn, a potentially fatal condition that is due to incompatibilities of Rh blood types between father and mother, has almost become a thing of the past, thanks to routine Rh immuni zation of mothers whose children

are at risk. Several medical and surgical treatments have improved chances for survival of premature infants weighing less than 2.2 pounds (1 kilogram), as well as for those born at full term who become sick. Tiny habies need tiny amounts of blood. The entire blood volume of some premature newborns may be no more than 100 milliliters, about

three and a third ounces. Although chemists have devel-oped methods to do standard medical tests on just a few drops of blood, pediatricians still must drain a little more than a teaspoon of blood each time they measure bilirubin and other chemicals that are critical in guiding therapy for sick infants and premature infants. Each removal can present a loss of about 10 percent of a premature infant's blood.

"Probably 90 percent of our blood transfusions are to replace blood taken for sampling," said Dr. Alistair G. S. Philip, head of neon-atology at Maine Medical Center in

Use of sterile plastic bags has allowed doctors to divide one unit of adult blood into small amounts period of several days, so the re-

mainder of a whole unit of blood matching of the donated organ and

days of chemotherapy, bleeding now used for more accurate deter-was an important cause of death mination of parentage. because the drugs destroyed so many platelets, the fragments that help blood clot. Now platelet transfusions are available. The modern

does not have to be discarded after the recipient. HLA tests are some-each transfusion. each transfusion.

Transfusions are one of the hideases and are used in research and den reasons for success in drug to help make diagnoses. HLA and treatment of cancer. In the early other immunological tests are also

mination of parentage. Although so much depends on donated blood, each transfusion has its hazards. There is the risk of mismatches, which occur in about treatment of leukemia and other one in 10,000 transfusions. There is blood system disorders with drugs the risk of other infections besides and bone marrow transplants AIDS, particularly non-A non-B bepatitis and cytomegalovirus in-fection. would be impossible without plate-

In organ transplantation, genetic

The goal of many researchers is aspects of blood supply; the elabotesting of blood HLA (human lentor replace human blood with synrate yet logical system that has kocyte antigens, used to match tis-sues for transplant) provides closer But though some researchers have this most essential bodily fluid.

as the perfluorocarbons, so far the products have not lived up to expectations.

veloped techniques to freeze blood and store it for up to three years. for people with rare blood types. Personal stores of frozen blood are marily because most people die without ever needing a blood trans-lusion. Even if they do need one, they may be in one place and their frozen blood in another, thus de-feating one of the most remarkable

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IN BRIEF

Slime May Have Been 1st Land Plant

TEMPE, Arizona (NYT) - Evidence that plants may have colonized dry land 1.2 billion years ago — three times earlier than indicated by the fossil record — has been reported by geologists at Arizona State University in Tempe. The plants may have been nothing more than a primitive green slime, but they left the telltale carbon signature of plant life on the land surface. "The only purpose of the implant is to get the information piped outside, where it can be pro-cessed and manipulated by a computer system that would interface

Dr. Paul Knanth, who headed the study, said that the ancient land with some sort of mechanical desurface, of the type known as caliche, had been found in a canyon east of Phoenix. The deposit is believed to be 1.2 billion years old.

Dr. Edell, a physiologist and en-gineer, has been building and test-Its carbon content was deficient in carbon 13. "Exhalation" into the soil of carbon dioxide deficient in carbon 13, he said, is characteristic of ing the chips for nine years.

If someone loses an arm, the plants. Because caliche always forms on land, rather than under water, Dr. Knauth said he assumed its carbon came from land plants.

nerves that were destined for the Tracking Rhino in Order to Save It fingers, the wrist and other missing parts are severed. But the ends of these nerves remain. Inside these

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) - The Smithsonian Institution in the nerves are tens of thousands of sig-nal carriers, called axons, that tell United States and the Nepalese government are cooperating in a study of the habits of the one-horned Indian rhinoceros in the dense tropical forest of southern Nepal.

Dart shotguns will be used to knock out 15 rhinos, who will then be Dr. Edell's invention is a silicon collared with radio transmitters for tracking. The findings will be used in chip one-sixth of an inch long, oneframing conservation measures. 12th of an inch wide and the thick-The one-horned rhino, long on the world list of endangered species, is

ness of a hair. When it was implanted in lab animals, severed nerves found only in two places, both in Asia. An estimated 800 survive in Assam, India, and another 350 in Nepal's Chitwan forest. grew through the openings in a grid carved into one end. The grid

Shuttle May Help in Cancer Research picked up impulses that ran along

CAPE CANAVERAL, Florida (UPI) — Space shuttle experiments scheduled for March and August flights could pave the way for breaknerve messages is a major goal of the research, but more technologi-cal problems will have to be throughs in the development of new drugs to light cancer and other ailments, it was reported in Aviation Week & Space Technology.

The magazine said that researchers hope to grow protein crystals of exceptional size and purity in the weightlessness of space. Such crystals grown in Earth's gravity are too small to allow easy analysis. worked out before the chips can By studying the molecular structure of the larger space crystals, scientists hope to design drugs that can work with or against similar One step will be to etch circuits onto the chip. These will encode the

information and shuttle it out on a wire. Then the nerve impulses Open Seas Have Fish-Farm Potential could be translated into ordinary electricity that, with the help of a

WASHINGTON (AP) - Scientists at the Smithsonian Institution report after two years of research that sea farming in tropical waters has an enormous potential for producing cheap, plentiful supplies of fish for a hungry world. Dr. Walter H. Adey of the Smithsonian said open-sea fisheries might well produce fish at 10 cents to 30 cents a pound (22 to 66 cents a kilogram) with simple equipment that fishermen in underdevel-

oped countries could easily be trained to use. Dr. Adey said his research team had found evidence of abundant plant life in the open seas, contradicting a long-held belief that they are low-

Protein-Rich Rice Flour Developed

WASHINGTON (NYT) - Agriculture Department scientists say they have developed a technique for producing a rice flour that is three times richer in protein than standard rice flour and could help reduce malnutrition among children in Third World countries. Linn P. Hansen, a food chemist with the department, said the flour

called CHP-rice flour, contains 25 percent protein, compared with 8 percent for standard rice flour. Wheat flour has about 12 percent protein. Here the stump would be con-The new processing method, which the department is making available for commercial use, involves adding an enzyme from the fungus Aspergillus oryzae, commonly used in the food processing industry, to a rice flour

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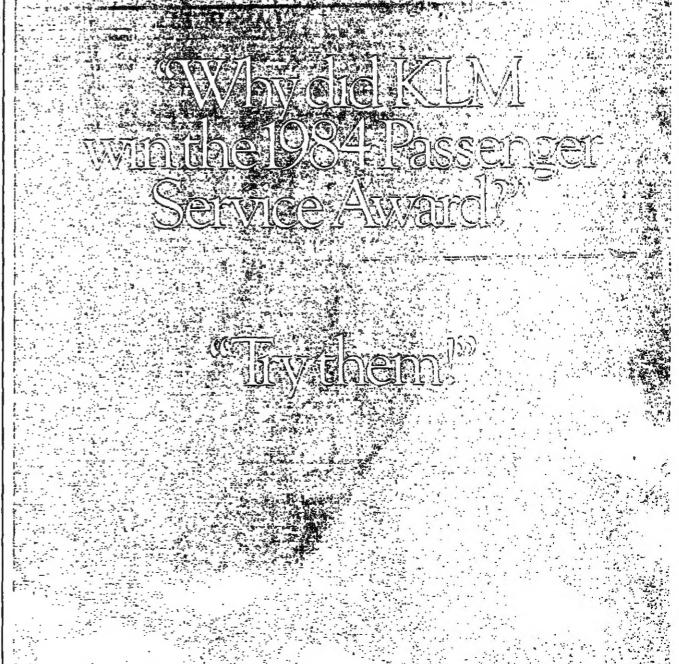
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The Way to Help Duarte

A single personality made the difference last year when the U.S. Congress responded gener-to negotiate an end to the five-year civil war ously to the appeal for help from President Jose Napoleon Duarte of El Salvador. That honest, reform-minded Christian Democrat made friends out of doubters by promising to end human rights abuses and start talking with his guerrilla adversaries. Six months later, the bipartisan U.S. consensus on El Salvador is in trouble because Mr. Duarte is in trouble.

His very success in attracting U.S. aid, about \$825 million this year, has been misread by his right-wing rivals as a blank check. With a majority in the Legislative Assembly, they have written a tricky new election law to let conservative parties pool their votes after the next elections, on March 31. Mr. Duarte vetoed the law but was overruled by a Supreme Court whose members were chosen by the same assembly. A bigger right-wing majority, the likely outcome, means bigger troubles for Mr. Duarte, and thus for his U.S. support.

The assembly also controls the attorney general's office, through which the right-wingers are blocking Mr. Duarte's efforts to prosecute human rights offenders. And when the president himself appointed a commission to investigate five notorious murders, the assembly refused funds. That is why there has been no pursuit of the killers of Archbishop Oscar Amulio Romero and two U.S. labor advisers, or of those responsible for the 1983 massacre of peasants at Las Hojas. The far right wants all such matters dumped in a memory hole. So cornered, Mr. Duarte has also had to suspend the peace talks he began last Novemsputtered to a halt when leftist rebels demanded the moon: power sharing and a merger of armed forces as a condition for laving down their arms. Thus have the left and right combined to shrink Mr. Duarte's middle ground.

Despite these setbacks, there have been some clear gains, as the Reagan administration points out. Death squad killings have declined dramatically. Some known killers have been banished from the armed forces, and the insurgents were unable to mount any successful offensives in 1984. But the army's better performance has been marred by persistent reports of aerial attacks on noncombatants in villages that it suspects of harboring guerrillas.

The United States is hardly neutral among the contending forces. It is and should be firmly committed to Mr. Duarte's attempts to build democracy and end the civil war on decent terms. Congress proved its fidelity to him last year. The best way to do so again may

be to tie useful strings to America's help.

Conditionality works. Although President Reagan scorned the human rights conditions formerly attached to aid, they were surely helpful in persuading the Salvadorans to move against the death squad killings. Congress could now demand real support for Mr. Duarte's inquiry commission and proof that the conventions of war are not being violated by air attacks. The purpose of U.S. aid should be not only to keep Mr. Duarte in office but to help him carry through his program.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES

When the Buck Stops

inflation remains relatively low in the United States, according to the consumer price index for January. And the dollar has once again been rising rapidly on the foreign exchange markets. There is a connection. The pattern has been clear for some time, and it is going to affect the way the American economy works for the rest of this decade.

The rising dollar makes imports cheaper for Americans. Its influence is not limited to imported goods alone; it also forces those businesses that compete with imported goods to hold their own prices down. But businesses that do not have to worry about foreign competition are under much less pressure to restrain their prices, and those are the businesses in which inflation is now concentrated.

If you take the consumer goods most affected by import prices - fuel, clothing, furniture and new cars, for instance - you find that price increases there averaged barely 1 percent during the past year; in comparison, prices for all consumer goods and services rose 3.6 percent. As for the items showing price increases much higher than the average, all were among those that imports do not affect: The cost of shelter rose more than 5 percent during the year; medical care was up 5.8 percent; personal and educational expenses rose 9.1 percent.

The things on which American consumers spend their money fall into two roughly equal categories: commodities, meaning tangible goods including food, and services, which, as the government statisticians define the term, include the home. In the past year the price increases for all commodities averaged just over 2 percent. For services the figure was 5.1 percent. Many commodities have to compete with imports. Few services do.

Thus, in terms of inflation, the United States now has a split-level economy. Half of it, feeling the chilly wind of foreign trade, has held its prices remarkably stable. The other half, out of the wind, has quite a high inflation rate. This pattern is, unfortunately, entirely reversible. At some point the dollar will stop rising against other currencies.

Then there will no longer be falling prices of imports to offset the rapid and steady increases elsewhere, and the consumer price index will begin to move upward faster. If the dollar should fall against other currencies, the prices of imports would go up and the CPI would rise faster than ever. That is why the rise of the dollar - now entirely unpredictable in its movements - will probably determine the timing of the next American recession.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

Other Opinion

For Salvadorans, Little but War

A special report prepared for Congress confirms what many have suspected about the Reagan administration's strategy in El Salvador - it is a short-term fix designed to suppress the rebellion, and it fails to deal with the ong-range problems that are the causes of the strife. The effect of the policy is to make less likely a realistic and lasting solution.

The report [concludes] that President Reagan's oft-repeated claim that three-fourths of U.S. aid to El Salvador goes for economic rather than military assistance is not true. Only 15 percent of U.S. aid has been spent on longrange reforms. The bulk has gone for military and military-related activities.

Another cease-fire, not an escalation of the war, is a prerequisite for negotiations. Once the killing has stopped, discussions aimed at creating a more broadly based Salvadoran government can begin. That new government must include the opposition leaders who now see guerrilla warfare as the only means left to them to effect change in El Salvador. The prospect for that sort of settlement is made less likely with each escalation of the war.

- The Los Angeles Times.

For and Against Small Farms

The most pernicious phrase in the American language today is "larger, more efficient farms." It reflects the conventional urban wisdom that because farms in general have been

getting fewer but larger, that must be good.

Progress is whatever happens. The idea that the family farm might be the most efficient unit of production in agriculture has simply been abandoned. Every family farm that goes under proves the rule, every corporate farm giant that fails is the exception that proves the rule. This new agrarian myth is behind the assumption in public policy today that the current farm crisis is only a necessary "shakeout" of the least efficient farmers and that once we are through that, the industry will be stronger and healthier and more self-sufficient. That is an attractive theory to urban politicians. It is also garbage.

- The North Platte (Nebraska) Telegraph.

The "family farm" rallying cry would probably have lost all effectiveness decades ago if there were not two U.S. senators from every state. Only by drastically scaling back government involvement and by allowing competi-tion can U.S. farming achieve the efficiency to again become the low-cost producer and be able to compete effectively in world markets.

True, the result will be fewer small farms and fewer small banks, grain elevators and even small towns. But attempts to reverse the tide can only mean more subsidies thrown at an increasingly noncompetitive farm sector that will require still more subsidies. Small farms and rural communities could be preserved, but they would be expensive museums.

- A. Gary Shilling, a New York-based economist, writing in the Los Angeles Times.

FROM OUR FEB. 28 PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1910: China Welcomes U.S. Business PARIS - The American financial group which has opened up business relations with China took formal possession of its offices in Peking [on Feb. 26]. Guests included three Imperial princes, the presidents of all the Government Boards and other high Chinese officials and the diplomatic representatives of the Powers. The "friendly offices" of European business men, as the Celestial Empire knows to its cost, have not always been disinterested, and were often the thin end of the wedge for political concessions. Commercial markets have often been opened literally "at the cannon's mouth." The European Powers have shown a tendency to secure not only commercial but territorial advantages. China, however, knows that she is safe from any such system of "grab" on the part of the United States.

1935: Japan Weighs Naval Holiday TOKIO - The Japanese naval authorities are considering a compromise plan to solve the naval deadlock between Great Britain, the United States and Japan by means of a threeyear naval building holiday to extend from the end of 1935 to 1938, the New York Herald learned [on Feb. 27]. The proposal is being discussed here by high naval officials who are understood to regard it favorably. According to this plan, no further preliminary conversations would be held, but a formal naval conference would be convened toward the end of the year, possibly in October, Inasmuch as Japan has built up nearer to treaty limits than either the United States or Britain, it is figured that if a halt to naval building were called then, the ration between the United States, Britain and Japan would work out at about 5-5-4.

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N EW YORK — One of every four of us here on Earth celebrated the new year on the eve of Feb. 20. As they lit firecrackers and munched moon cakes, many Chinese had good reason to be bullish about the Year of the Ox.

By any reckoning, last year was a success for Beijing's foreign policies. An agreement with Britain concerning Hong Kong solved a nettle-some problem and provided a "carrot" to put before compatriots in Taiwan. More important, the regime managed to improve relations with both the United States and the Soviet Union.

In rural areas, incomes are rising rapidly. The success of the so-called responsibility system — the end of agriculture by commune — is visible in the offerings of free markets nationwide.

There are signs that the country's acute housing shortage is improving as new construction projects rise on almost every block and hill. Consumer goods abound. Television antennas

sprout from country shacks. Coveted clothes rom Hong Kong and Shanghai are available. Young people who were once classified as waiting for employment" are taking advantage of the chance to start their own enterprises. Not

surprisingly, street crime has declined. The government's blunt appraisal of the fallibility of Marxism-Leninism — arguably the most important event in the world in 1984 — was generally greeted with enthusiasm in China.

But behind economic growth lurk questions that dampened spirits for the new year and that

Rural incomes are rising, true enough, but the great mass of China's bureaucrats, who are banned from participating in private ventures, find themselves falling behind in the economic race. When rumors of price increases wasted through Beijing offices in November, a buying spree broke out in Wangfujing, the busy shop-

threaten the nation's long-term goals.

By Bob Boorstin

ping area. The leadership moved quickly to calm fears, promising income adjustments before prices go up, but the smell of an "office workers" revolt," as one intellectual calls it, is as heavy as the coal dust in the winter air.

Without the active help of these bureaucrats, who have the power to turn declared policies into

No economic reform program, however sweeping, can keep up with the exploding population.

reality. Deng Xiaoping's version of the Great Leap Forward will slow to a crawl, Office workers are not yet ready to trade the advantages of urban life for the promise of riches in the fields. but their concerns cannot be ignored.

Equally vital to the success of economic reform must be new attempts to tackle the yawning problems of China's undeveloped infrastructure, Big changes are promised this year; reform and expansion of airline service, continued modernization of railways and construction of major highways linking urban centers. Such projects require great outlays of capital and careful plan-ning; without them, China's vast inland will remain an economic backwater.

With the recent announcement that more coastal areas are opening for foreign investment, it seems clear that Mr. Deng and his followers will open the door to the West even wider. Yet the Chinese have learned that imports of technology and expertise bring unwanted cultural baggage: Along with help in drilling for oil has come

Michael Jackson's music. The leadership's task now is to tame the expectations of young people while maintaining incentives to participate in the motherland's modernization drive.

The importing of investment and expertise has also brought a tide of corruption. In one of China's so-called special economic zones, Shantou, "gifts" of color television sets and refrigerators are now necessary to start negotiations. A campaign to root out graft is high on one Beijing official's list of new year's resolutions.

Hovering above all this is the old problem of controlling population growth. The responsibility system and changes in welfare policies mean that rural couples are again producing enough children to till the fields and provide security for old age. The one-family, one-child policy, with its posters of smiling parents and an angelic little girl, is in the doldrums as it enters its sixth year. No economic reform program, however sweeping, can keep up with the exploding population.

Prosperity is high on everyone's list of hopes for the new year, but in China politics never lags far behind. This has been the traditional time when Chinese give offerings for long life. One assumes that the diminutive Mr. Deng has been

in many of his countrymen's prayers.

He seems to be in fine form as he enters his 81st year (perhaps the Soviets just choose their leaders badly), but much depends on the giant shadow that he casts. His attempts to ease out foes and put trusted lieutenants into positions of responsibility seem to augur well for continuity. But some hard-line Maoists, many of whom rose to prominence during the Cultural Revolution, continue to threaten the pragmatic line.

The writer is working on a biography of Edgar Snow and recently returned from his third trip to China. He contributed this to the Los Angeles Times.

To Assay a Family Farm, Ask the Right Questions

ORT ROYAL, Kentucky — Da-I vid Stockman, the Reagan ad-ministration's budget director, is the latest remote observer to conclude that the "farm problem" reduces to the proposition that there are too many farmers. This licenses the further proposition that it is good for agriculture when a lot of farm fam-

ilies go broke and lose their farms.

If Mr. Stockman were speaking for himself, he could be ignored. What matters is that he represents an attitude that has been dominant in the official quarters since Ezra Taft Benson was agriculture secretary in the

Eisenhower administration.

Mr. Stockman, a key member of an administration that would abandon farmers to the justice of the market, assures that the continuing dispossession of thousands of farm families is merely good economics: "That is the

way a dynamic economy works."

These "disinvestments," he says, are therefore to be "encouraged," and he suggests that they are compensated for by "massive explosions of new jobs and investments ... occurring elsewhere, in Silicon Valley."

I disagree with Mr. Stockman. Does he talk in that way because he does not care, or because he does not know? I conclude that he does not know, for his assumption that it is good and just to let economics detercludes an interest in the quality of farming. Mr. Stockman does not have the right answers because he has not asked the right questions.

The questions, nevertheless, are there to be asked, and the failure to ask them is to invite agricultural failure worse than America now has. The most important question is

whether good farming can be understood as an industry. The answer is that it cannot be so understood. The reasons are complicated but they may be summed up in two facts: first,

OPEC aid donors meet in

Rome this week to settle the fate of

the International Fund for Agri-

cultural Development, a relatively

small but effective UN agency.

IFAD is the only international or-ganization that has the sole task of

searching out the smaller farmers

and providing them the credit, fer-

tilizer, seeds and know-how to

make a go of their lives.

The fund was established by a

resolution of the World Food Con-

ference in 1974. That was the crisis

year when even skeptics feared that

the world might be running out of food. The situation 10 years later

is transformed. The World Food

Council observed in a recent docu-

ment: "After a slow start in 1975.

the years 1976, 1977 and 1978 wit-

nessed a substantial recovery in

cereal production ... Bumper

world production levels in 1981

and 1982 brought in record sup-

plies and the lowest real market

This is despite the fact that in the

decade since 1974 the world's population has grown by an extra bil-tion. Much of Asia is now self-

sufficient and some countries are

And yet hunger remains an over-

whelming problem for tens of mil-

It is one thing to get advice, credit and knowledge to the larger

farms; that has been the secret of

the green revolution in Asia and

Latin America. It is another to

reach small farmers, who often live

far from main roads, have less col-

lateral to offer in return for credit

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Asia still has the largest absolute

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prices for cereals in 30 years."

By Wendell Berry cal; second, a factory is, and is expected to be, temporary, whereas a farm, if it is well farmed, will last

will be destroyed forever. A second question, therefore, is whether the most productive agricul-ture is necessarily the best. The answer is that it is not necessarily the best, for good agriculture requires soil conservation and other forms of maintenance as well as productivity. Present tragic soil erosion rates suggest that high agricultural yields are coming at an enormous cost, which sooner or later will have to be paid.

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How is soil to be conserved in agricultural use? The basic methods have been available for hundreds of years, but they can be used only by who can afford to use them and who have the desire to use them.

Where do you get such farmers? There is little likelihood of being able to hire them in Silicon Valley in some future time of "disinvestment" in the computer industry. The only known way to get them in substantial numbers is to rear them on farms, in farming families that are not too strapped for time or money to farm well. In America, because of belief in the private ownership of property, this means that farmland must be divided and owned in small parcels and that farms, farmers and farm communities must thrive.

Finally, we must ask if Mr. Stockman's "dynamic economy" is, as he thinks, eliminating the "inefficient"

economy can enact such a judgment. A more dangerous likelihood is that the farmers being eliminated are the

young ones trying to get started.

The argument in favor of a stable, soundly established population of farming families involves many more questions than those. But even so few suggest inescapably that good farm-ing involves a long-term connection between particular people and particular parcels of land. To subject this connection to an economic determinism necessarily indifferent to it is to destroy it - and, finally, to destroy ourselves. For Americans are not just a crowd of separate individuals competing for spoils in a "free market." America is a community and a land.

Mr. Berry, author of "The Unsettling of America," is a writer and farmer. He contributed this to The New York Times.

For Her There Was More To Farming Than Profit

By James R. . lekenson

Kansas prairie she loved, assumed that the universe revolved around western Kansas. Oh, if you had asked her in so many words she would probably have laughingly denied that. But her first principle was that bread is as basic as it gets, and those wheat farmers who produced it were doing God's work. She was by no means alone in this belief.

In the weeks after the attack on Pearl Harbor, incredible as it seems in hindsight, the hamlets of western Kansas and eastern Colorado were farming depends upon living creatures and biological processes, whereas the materials of industry are not alive and the processes are mechani-

yet, given the transformation of the global scene in the last 10 years, it

is not overly optimistic to think

that a major part of this laggardly

group could be put on the high

road to success in the next 10. Not all the rural hungry have land, but half of the estimated 450

million do. They could produce

Given the right kind of support

small producers can achieve high

standards of husbandry. Indian ex-

perience shows that small farmers,

given credit, can produce good re-

turn on capital. They rarely default and there is a multiplier effect once

the bandwagon starts to move:

helping then becomes largely a

self-financing operation.

This is where IFAD comes in.

Recently in Pakistan I looked at an

IFAD-supported project in opera-

tion. A former central banker, Ja-

mil Nishstar, has organized teams

of agricultural graduates to be-

come mobile bankers. He has given

them each a motorbike and sent

them to the remotest villages. A

bank is no longer a forbidding

wooden door. It is a man with a

crash helmet who knows how to get

the best seeds and what will sell in

the Karachi market. Incomes have

No one questions IFAD's per

formance. It is caught in a duel between OPEC and the Western

nations. The West, in particular the

United States, is insistent that

OPEC maintain its 1974 commit-

ment to 42 percent of the budget.

OPEC countries say they cannot

because Iran has effectively

dropped out of aid giving. They

have offered 38 percent and are

probably prepared to settle for 40.

It is a petty battle. Here is a cause that could be won, if only

there was a little more vision.

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enough to feed themselves.

The Week of Reckoning

For Third World Farms

By Jonathan Power

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WASHINGTON — For nearly 92 years my maternal grand-mother, who now rests under the mother, who now rests under the America's food supply.

There are still millions of Americans who share that feeling. Many of them have been or are going to be forced off the land and out of a cherished way of life, in the nation's worst agriculture crisis since the 1930s. There is no reason America cannot have a farm policy that can help pre-

serve the family farm, which is still the mainstay of agricultural production. For starters, there is no reason to make price support payments to large producers, those whose sales are \$500,000 or more annually. Family farmers are worth saving.

Most are not greedy. It is not uncommon for a farmer capitalized at \$1 million to receive a 1-percent return on his investment. If he wants to stay in business, he ought to be helped. The farm culture has a value far

beyond its impressive production fig-ures and bottom-line considerations. Grandmother had a true sense of the land. If you didn't own land, you had nothing, she felt. She held on to the half-section — 320 acres (130 hectares) — that she and Grandpa owned until she died. When we sold it, my uncle, who had farmed it for her after Grandpa died, told me she could have sold it at any time, put the proceeds in a 51/4-percent savings account and made more money.

My first reaction was shock. Was that why I had spent all those blister-ing 12- and 14-hour summer days during my teens eating enough top-soil, it seemed, to start a spread of my own? But I knew he was right. Between 1945, when I first worked

as a full-time harvest hand at age 13, and 1951. I worked every summer for my farmer uncles on both sides of the family. Each year a few more marginal farmers would have to sell out and take jobs in Denver as welders or

auto parts salesmen or whatever. Many of them had managed to scrape through the twin disasters of the Great Depression and the Dust Bowl with a half-section of land and an old Model D John Deere tractor that had only about five moving parts and burned kerosene. They prospered during the World War II years, when the rains came and prices were high.

But what drought and depression could not do, the revolution in farm technology that exploded after World War II did. Farms in the wheat country had to keep expanding to justify the purchase of the bigger and more efficient technology. The predictable result was an exodus of people. It was nothing short of revolutionary. In the summer of 1945 the side-

walk on the main street of McDonald. Kansas, was so jammed on Saturday night when the movies let out and the grocery stores were closing that impatient kids ran out onto the street to get down to the pool hall, which was packed. Now you could shoot a cannon down that main street any time after 6 on a Saturday night and not endanger a living soul. It has been that way for years.

That is one of the more troubling things about the crisis of the family farm. A way of life that is the only one many want, a culture that shaped America's history and values, is destroyed along with it.

The Washington Post.

Your Brain: **Too Clever** To Fathom?

By George F. Will

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W ASHINGTON — It is a head-line that arrests the eye (see Page 5): "Einstein Had Extra Cells in His Brain." Not news, you say? Wrong. The news that keeps arriving from neurobiology is large enough to subvert our sense of ourselves.

Having at long last obtained bits of Einstein's brain from the Missouri pathologist who conducted the antopsy in 1955, a scientist at the University of California at Berkeley, Marian Diamond, has discovered that Einstein's brain had 73 percent more "support cells" for every neuron than are found in average brains. The Einstein samples reportedly came from the part of the brain responsible for "the deepest thinking."

We are learning a lot - perhaps an alarming lot — about what we are. Increased knowledge of the brain has already brought a reduction of misery through pharmacological treat-ments of such diseases as depression and schizophrenia. But this knowledge can seem to threaten that inner something that makes us individuals. It seems to portray us as merely physical, as more comprehensible and quantifiable than we want to be.

It was bad enough when Coperni-cus evicted us from where we think we belong: at the center of the cos-mos. Since then, many systems of thought have seemed to imbed us stickily in the world in ways that compromise our sense of autonomy.

Darwin embedded mankind in the mud of the planet that Copernicus

had made peripheral. Darwin asserted a continuum between mankind and lesser (are we sure?) matter.

The historicisms of Marx and others asserted that political and social change are governed by iron laws of social evolution, not the choices of autonomous human beings.
Freud said there are within us un-

charted depths with their own turbulences. Now comes neurobiology, suggesting - what? It really does not suggest that anyone with 73 percent more support cells per neuron than average could have said, as Einstein did. "Hey: Increase the speed of an object and you contract the passage of its time." Neurosciences do not make such extravagant claims.

In the New York Review of Books, Israel Rosenfield of the City University of New York offers a balanced assessment. Suppose particular men-tal events — feelings, emotions — can be associated with particular chemical events. That does not mean that, say, the feeling of love or patrioformula. Neither does it mean that when you read "Hamlet" you should say, "Ah, yes. This is the product of beautiful brain chemistry." What has been learned about brain

functioning has advanced therapy more than it has understanding. We can improve the functioning of the brain without really knowing how to explain what is being done, aside from the correction of a chemical imbalance. While it is better to treat certain mental illnesses by administering drugs rather than confining the patient to an immobilizing chair, "we should have no illusions that we realby know what we are doing when we use many of the therapies adminis-tered today," Mr. Rosenfield writes. The chemistry of memory, the

chemistry of sorrow - we would feel diminished in dignity by such ways of speaking. But certain foods contain amino acids that pass into the blood and alter moods. Indeed, simply seeing food evidently can trigger physiological mechanisms that produce

weight increase Gracious.
Human beings became comfortable with the thought of themselves as creatures composed of flesh and blood and also something grander. Now neurobiology makes problematic the idea that we are both bodies and quite distinct minds or spirits. The idea of "the ghost in the machine" may be yielding to the idea that we are machines. Are we just the sum of the chemical reactions bubbling within us?

Happily, the more we know, the less we know. The more we know about the brain, the more we are awed by how much there is to know not only about the brain itself but about the totality of creation that has culminated — we are the culmination ... aren't we? — in a gadget as intricate as man.

The neuroscience behind the news that Einstein's brain was different calls to mind a recent Chicago Tribune headline over a story about the aftermath of the Israeli airlift out of Ethiopia: "20th Century Stuns Ethiopian Jews." I know how they feel.

Washington Post Writers Group.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

German Questions

In his opinion column "Again a Familiar German Reluctance to Live Within the Reality of the Day?" (Feb. 11), William Pfaff condemns Boan's attempt to keep the "German question" formally alive as sentimental nonsense dictated by political opportunism. While it is merely crass to describe the commitment of Helmut Kohl's government to the open question of the German people's future as partisan politics, it is destructive to characterize West German refusal to give up the dream of a new European order as dangerous romanticism.

"Deutschlandpolitik," whether un-der Willy Brandt or Mr. Kohl, seeks to secure basic human rights and political self-determination for countrymen east of the Elbe and to foster the cultural unity of the nation. The Federal Republic's patient

and peaceful dedication to overcoming the brutal divisions of German lands and the European Continent is the strong motor of a fledgling Europeanism. To keep open the question of a permanent peaceful order for

Europe is to keep alive the prospect political boundaries. BRENTON C. FISCHMANN,

Why all the discussion of how, where and if the day of the end of the war should be celebrated on May 8? We did not have special commemorations 10 and 20 years ago. It was wise of President Reagan to give up his original intention to be in Bonn that day, and to go to an international grouping in Strasbourg instead.

K.E. SCHUERMANN. Düsseldorf.

Mr. Plaff says that Germans are not living in the reality of the day, but rope has come from many nations, similar to arguments of anti-Semi- give me liberty or give me death!" tism - incidents are chosen to support a predetermined opinion.

Mr. Pfaff speaks of the romantiof an end to the instability and superpower conflict inherent in the present and then he states that West Germans should be "less discontent with what is and less concerned with what might be, or might not." Is this serious advice on how to cure the problem of terrorism wherever it occurs? CINDY LARSON.

Liberty in Lieu of Soup

Rudolf Voll (Letters, Jan. 14), discussing responses from the homeless in Tokyo when he asked them why they did not avail themselves of soup kitchens, suggests that the responses were "a paraphrase of Nathan Hale's last words — because we like our freedom." Nathan Hale is known his own arguments do not seem to be grounded in reality. Terrorism in Eu-I have but one life to lose for my present and past; it is extremely un- country." It was Patrick Henry who fair to blame one nationality for its said, in 1775: "I know not what resurgence. The reasoning used is course others may take, but as for me,

MARK KRAMER

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WALL STREET WATCH

Merrill Lynch Analyst Sees Major Advance in Making

By EDWARD ROHRBACH

S investors' tastes on Wall Street have shifted from heavy on the hot sauce in January to refried beans as February closes, Merrill Lynch's chief investment strategist is fired up enough about the long-term potential of the market's current advance to dub it "The Big Enchilada."

Stanley D. Salvigsen sees stocks poised to resume an enduring upward thrust that will carry them well above 2,000 on the Dow average. It will rank, he predicts, with the two great built markets of the century, in 1920-1929 and 1949-1965. Powering "Big Enchilada III," he said, will be an expansion of price-earnings ratios for stocks — the same basic ingredient of

the past two major advances. That is, financial assets will be perceived by investors as offering nutritional value while so-called tangible assets that are attractive during inflationary times no longer will enjoy

shift away from tangible assets into the same investment appeal. more financial ones. "Real estate, if you will, has experienced a big P/E expansion over the last 20 years," he explained. "Now with inflation

Strategist sees a

less of an investment alternative, the growing demand for financial assets will drive their prices up. Mr. Salvigsen believes the "new constructive era" for stocks actually returned four years ago with the advent of real high interest rates, meaning when rates remain elevated while inflation abates. That set the stage for the August 1982 bull market charge, which is when he says "Enchilada III" was first served up to

"Real high interest rates portend a high-risk environment which constitutes a wall of worry for the majority of investors," he writes in Merrill Lynch's current Investment Strategy Quarterly. "However, history shows that when the risks have been high so have the rewards for those financial instruments that were able to cope with the high-risk environment."

E continued: "The process is similar to conditions in the 1920s and 1950s. Real rates stayed high through the period. Earnings growth was below average, but P/E ratios went from 8 to 20 over an 8-10 year period. Stock-price indexes rose more than 400 percent during these periods."

Asked what stalled Wall Street in the 18 months until the start

of 1985, Mr. Salvigsen replied that the "risk-free rate of return was too competitive for stocks." With Treasury bills offering 11to 12-percent interest, "enthusiasm for the stock market was bosed down in '83-'84 and not rekindled until lately," he added. When the rate dropped to 8 percent in December, conditions began to inspire his "Big Enchilada" theme.

He said, incidentally, that a catchy title for his reports helps implant the idea in investors' minds. "Revenge of the Nerds," written last year, described how conservative folks who have been saving money the past 20 years have finally looked smart in a

climate of high interest rates.

Mr. Salvigsen argues that Wall Street's surge in January provided an "object lesson" on how misleading standard market signals can be "in a rising P/E environment." Both reported and forecasted earnings were trending below expectations, he pointed out, yet during the month the market gained nearly one full P/E

"This has made it difficult for many observers to rationalize to sell early. This is particularly true where certain stocks have broken above their traditional valuation ranges and now appear unusually expensive when compared with the standards of the past decade

But, he added, this is just the point. "Important changes in the level of valuation are not a function of any changes in the characteristics of the stocks themselves but are the result of (Continued on Page 9, Col. 1)

Currency Rates

Late interbank rates on Feb. 27, excluding fees.
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Firms Win A Ruling On Waste

Supreme Court **Backs Exemption**

Compiled by Our Staff From Department
WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court ruled 5-4 Wednesday
that the Environmental Protection Agency may exempt individual industrial plants from national clean-water standards which limit the

discharge of pollutants.

The ruling was a victory for the Reagan administration and for the chemical industry which had challenged a lower court's determination that the government agency could not grant variances from national rules for treating toxic chemicals before they are dumped into

public waterways.
Although few such variances have been given so far, industry complained it would be saddled with very high costs if required to meet national clean water stan-

But environmental groups warned that the companies were simply trying to delay compliance with standards ordered by the Clean Water Act.

The statute directs the EPA to set national standards for industrial discharge of treated toxic waste pollutants that have been at least partially cleansed before flow-ing into lakes and streams.

Under an EPA exemption, industrial facilities can get a certain type of variance by showing, for example, that complying with na-tional standards would result in a pollutant removal cost "wholly out of proportion to the costs considered by EPA in setting the national

The Natural Resource Defense Council challenged the EPA's exemption policy and won a ruling by the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Philadelphia that the EPA lacks the authority to grant such variances under the Clean Water Act and its 1977 amendments. The Supreme Court reversed

that ruling Wednesday. The impact of the ruling is not immediately clear. (UPI, AP)

West Germany's Degussa Finding Strengths, Problems in Its Diversity

By Warren Getler

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International Herald Trabune
FRANKFURT — Degussa AG, the big precious metals, chemicals and pharmaceuticals group, is realizing more than ever that diversity can be a source of both strength and vulnerability.

The Frankfurt-based company currently faces a bost of "uncontrollables" across its full product line that could challenge the company's otherwise solid prospects for a hefty jump in profits this year, analysts say.

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These factors include an unpredictable dollar, a These factors include an unpredictable dollar, a foreign government's threat to close by Thursday a gold mine partly owned by Degussa and continuing confusion over Ronn's proposal for the mandatory use of catalytic converters on automobiles, a decision in which Degussa has a major stake.

The surging U.S. dollar, for instance, is helping to boost Degussa's chemical exports while simultaneously depressing precious metals prices. Depressed gold prices hurt earnings in the company's sold mining activities but, on the other hand.

pressed gold prices hurt earnings in the company's gold mining activities but, on the other hand, reduce costs in its processing operations.

Still another variant in Degussa's earnings mix, however, is that fluctuating gold prices are the key requirement for profitability in precious metals trading activities, which traditionally account for two-thirds of total sales in the metals division, Gert Recker, the company's 51-year-old chairman, said Becker, the company's 51-year-old chairman, said in a recent interview.

With precious metals accounting for 65 percent of Degussa's total revenue of 11 billion Deutsche marks (\$3.2 billion) last year, the high-flying dollar is thus seen as a mixed blessing. The dollar's future course remains the key question mark hovering over the company's income statement for the cur-rent fiscal year ending Sept. 30.

Last year, sales in the metals division fell 7.8

percent from a year earlier, a slippage partly com-pensated for by a 16.1-percent rise in chemical division revenue, to 3.53 billion DM. Pharmaceuri-

cals, which comprise only 3 percent of total revenue, were up 4.2 percent last year.

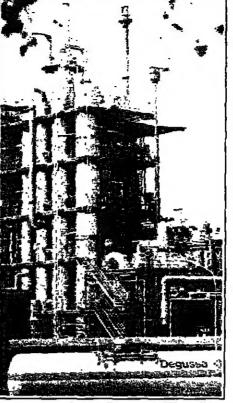
The drop in revenue notwithstanding, Degussa said its group profit for the year ended last Sept. 30, which have not yet been released, will be above the year-earlier 89.97 million DM.

"Even if growth in sales turns out a little slower, growth in profits will continue at a satisfactory

growth in profits will continue at a satisfactory level this year as increasing capacity utilization has led to a decline in our costs," Mr. Becker, who has led the company as chairman since 1977, said.

Investors, however, are often confused whether to view Degussa as a metal or chemical stock. According to Margot Schoenen, analyst at Westdeutsche Landesbank in Düsseldorf, the strong upward potential of Degussa as a chemical stock is being held in check by investor uncertainty about the company's metal operations. the company's metal operations.

Indeed, Degussa's share price has not benefited in the surge seen in recent weeks among chemical stocks such as Bayer, Hoechst and BASF. Degus-sa's share price has hovered in the 350-360 DM



An acrolein plant in Degussa's Wesseling. West Germany, complex. Acrolein is used to make an amino acid that raises the nutritional value of poultry feed.

range this month, and closed Wednesday on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange at 359.5 DM, up 50

But Mr. Becker is firm in his belief that Degussa should not move away from its traditional base in precious metals to focus more on chemicals and

"On the contrary, we put great store in being a diversified precious metal, chemical and pharmaceutical group and are investing heavily to defend the company's tradition as a leading precious metals concern," he said. This focus will be completed. mented by activities in specialized chemical and pharmaceutical products, he said.

Outside Degussa's 16 production units in West

Germany, the group has production facilities in the European Community, the United States, Canada, Japan, South Africa, Argentina, Mexico and

Dollar uncertainties aside, pending decisions by (Continued on Page 9, Col. 1)

Hong Kong Opts For Indirect Tax To Cut Its Deficit

By Dinah Lee

1.2 billion Hong Kong dollars (about \$153.8 million), equaling a HONG KONG — Hong Kong residents will face increased indiplanned deficit for 1985-86 after rect taxation as of April 1, the Britthe contribution of 1 billion dollars ish colony's financial secretary, Sir John Bremridge, said Wednesday in his annual budget report.

He predicted that last year's revised estimated growth in gross do-mestic product of 9.6 percent in real terms would drop to a more conservative 7 percent for 1985. Gross domestic product, or GDP, measures a nation's output of goods and services, excluding

income from foreign investment.
The possibility of some sort of tax increase had been rumored in Hong Kong since the beginning of the year, amid warnings from the financial community that Hong Kong's record growth was due in part to low taxation levels.

Sir John's decision not to raise direct taxes was "agreeable to Hong Kong's business circles," the director of the Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce, Jummy MacGre-

gor, said Wednesday.

"Most people prefer having a choice through indirect taxation," he said. "This budget also reflects the improved level of confidence in Hong Kong's economy felt in the business sector."

Last year the government raised direct taxation by 2 percentage points, to 17 percent on salaries and 18.5 percent on profits.

"Consequently it is imprudent to consider another increase now," Sir John said. He proposed increases in betting, business registration, transport, postal and telecommuni-cations fees. He also proposed rises in duties on beer, cigarettes, tobacco, cosmetics, soft drinks, mineral
waters, and non-European wines
and spirits.

The news was softened some
rank as Hong Kong's sexuel-largest customer, the growthn its purchases would slow fromast year's
rate of 60 percent to 40 ercent.

He said the rate overall.

ncluded increases in the tax allowances for dependents. The net increase in revenues

from the government's free fiscal reserves of 15.3 billion dollars. Hong Kong last had a budget surplus in 1981-1982. The world

from the new tax measures will be

recession and reduced revenues from sales of Crown colony land resulted in an annual deficit of 3.5 billion dollars in 1982-83 and of 3 billion dollars in 1983-84, Last year's budget deficit of 1.8 billion dollars was met partly by a 1-b" lion-dollar bond issue that Sir Jcas said he does not plan to repea He said he expects to balan-

budget in 1986-87. Sir John matched his moves with proposals for sures against tax avo
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Kong's dependence c approach to government file # would help protect against "extanal shocks."

An estimated 44 percent of Hong Kong's domestic exports goes to the United States, its largest market. Sir John predicted that with lower expectations of U.S growth for 1985, Hong Kong's exports to the United States this year would grow by half of last year's ate of 21 percent in real terms.

He also warned that demand from the countries of the frganization for Economic Coperation and Development would low; and he said that despite Chin's rise to

and spirits.

The news was softened somewhat by concessions on direct taxation aimed at Hong Kong's burgeoning middle class. These growth in domestic extra was exporters would conti protectionist policies : 533.00

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Japanese Output Continues Decline Mazda's Per-Hour Advantage

TOKYO — Japan's preliminary industrial production index for January fell 0.3 percent, to 119.8. from a revised 120.2 in December, the Ministry of International Trade and Industry said Wednesday. The December figure was off 0.7 percent from November.

Meanwhile, Japan's current account, a broad measure of trade in goods and services as well as interest, dividends and certain transfers, shrank to an \$800-million (3.07 million yea) surplus in January from a record \$4.76-billion surplus in December, the Finance Ministry said. The current-account deficit was \$562 million in January 1984.

The unadjusted January production index was up 8.4 percent from a year earlier after an 8.9-percent year-on-year gain in December, the trade ministry said.

January to 115.4 from a revised 114.8 in December, when it fell 1.5 percent from the month before. On an unadjusted basis, the producers' shipment index in January was up 6.4 percent from a year earlier after a 7.2-percent year-onyear December rise.

The January index of producers' inventories of finished goods fell 0.9 percent to 102.0 from a revised 102.9 in December, when it was up 1.3 percent from November. On an unadjusted basis, the in-

ventory index was up 8.3 percent in January from a year earlier after a 9.3-percent year-on-year gain in In its report, the Finance Minis-

try said the January trade surplus fell sharply to \$1.46 billion from a record \$5.25 billion in December but was up sharply from a \$239million surplus in January 1984.

The preliminary producers' ship-ment index was up 0.5 percent in Japan's overall balance-of-pay-ments deficit grew to \$2.37 billion

in January from \$1.24 billion in December, but was little changed from \$2.38 billion a year earlier.

The long-term capital account deficit fell to \$3.32 billion in January from a record \$8.40 billion in December, but exceeded a year-ago deficit of \$1.74 billion. January exports totaled \$10.97

illion, down from \$15.74 billion in December but up slightly from \$10.13 billion a year earlier. Im-ports tell to \$9.51 billion in January from \$10.49 billion in December and \$9.89 billion a year earlier.

The deficit for trade in nonmerchandise items stood at \$563 mil-lion in January, up from \$381 mil-and the United Auto Workers lion in December but down from union.

\$107 million in December and was count marked the first time since little changed from \$91 million a

At U.S. Plant Is Put at \$7.50

By Warren Brown

Washington Post Service WASHINGTON - Mazda Motor Corp. will have a \$7.50-an-hour labor-cost advantage over Ameribuilding cars in the United States in 1987, a Detroit-based auto trade journal said Tuesday. Automotive News said the ad-

vantage will come from savings in wages and benefits and through production efficiencies. The journai based its assessment on a letter

\$710 million a year earlier.

The transfer payments deficit been common knowledge for some time. But the Automotive News ac-Mazda's appouncement of its U.S. production plans last December that a dollar value has been assigned to the production-cost seg-

ment of the pact.

Mazda, which plans to roll out
240,000 small cars annually at a
plant in Flat Rock, Michigan, to repay \$460 million of short-term would become the fourth Japanes automaker to build cars in the United States, Honda Motor Co., Nissan Motor Co. and Toyota Mo-

with General Motors Corp.) now produce cars in the United States. Mazda officials said that it is "still too early" to discuss their U.S. compensation plans publicly, can automakers when it starts and UAW officials declined comment. Industry sources familiar with the letter of intent confirmed the accuracy of the Automotive

News story. According to industry sources the smallest part of Mazda's U.S. cost advantage would be a break of about 70 to 80 cents an hour in wages. Under a three-year agree-ment beginning in July 1988, Maz-da production workers would earn 85 percent of the going rate at Ford Motor Co. in the first year of the contract. Ford's expected base rate at that time would be \$16.82 an

Mazda workers would earn 90 percent of the Ford rate in the second year of the contract, and would reach 100 percent of Ford base pay - including cost of living allowances - at the end of the third year.

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BRUSSELS - The English an Commission said Thu it had authorized price as creases of between 7 and 990 ropean Currency Units (\$40 \$5.75) per ton for se categories of steel, much a sought by steelmakers.
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with American officials to discuss U.S. concerns that too much EC steel is being sold in the United States. Community sources said the

talks centered on U.S. complaints about shipments of semi-finished steels. Commission officials are

likely to resist any U.S. suggestion that these should be limited in future, however, because semi-finished steels did not come within the 1982 accord putting quantitative restrictions on EC exports of carbon steels to the United States.

dle East construction contracts. tor Corp. (through a joint venture ies following the failure of the diversification but also inefficiency Kukje Group, the country's sixth-Its main creditor, Korea First Bank, announced last week that the The spectacular expansion of the big groups stemmed from close ties group would be split up and its major footwear, construction, steel

SEOUL - South Korea's debtburdened industrial conglomerates face government pressure to spe-cialize and sell off minor subsidiarlargest company, bankers and government officials say. They also face new restrictions on cross-holdings of equity be-

But Finance Minister Kim Mahn Je insisted that no other companies would share the fate of Kukje, which will have to sell major sub-

Economists estimate that South Korea's top 30 groups account for anced growth of small and large 16 percent of the country's gross companies "the most vital task facnational product, which measures the value of a nation's goods and services, including income from foreign investments. Kim Dae Yong, an economic ad-

and must divest themselves of un-

"We are advising big business groups to specialize in selected main lines," he said. "Their spec-tacular growth has brought about

Seoul Presses Conglomerates to Slim

productive or minor subsidiaries.

to the government, which granted them low-interest loans, he said. tween parent groups and subsidiar-Suh Sang Mok, vice president of the Korea Development Institute, a governmental advisory body, said large business groups were becom-ing less resilient and less able to

react to changes in world markets. And Kim Jae Won, an economist with the institute, called the baling the Korean economy."

prohibit the cross-holding of equity between parent companies and subsidiaries, which led to a prolifviser to the ruling Democratic Juseration of subsidiaries and undertice Party, said in an interview that mined the parents' financial strucconglomerates are too diversified

debt at the end of last year, encountered difficulties because of a drop in overseas shoe sales and in Mid-

and trading subsidiaries would be Foreign bankers said that the move came as a surprise, but that other major business conglomer-ates were unlikely to suffer the

same treatment. One overseas banker said Kukie was one of several South Korean companies lacing difficulties because of cutbacks in Middle East construction projects.

He said the government appeared to have made an example of Kukje — the conglomerate with the weakest financial position - to persuade other large groups to take ecessary measures.

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France Reports Trade Deficit

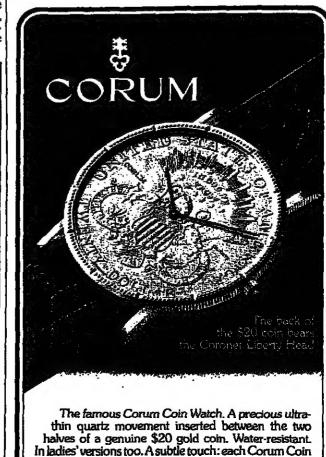
Narrows Sharply

PARIS - France's adjusted current account deficit narrowed sharply last year to a provisional 265 million francs about \$25 million), from 33.8 billion francs in 1983, a government spokeswoman said Wednesday. The 1984 deficit figure was revised from a pre-liminary estimate of 600 million francs.

The improvement in the current account, a broad measure of trade in goods and services as well as interest, dividends and certain transfers, followed an djusted fourth-quarter susplus of 1.1 billion francs and an upwardly revised surplus of 8.38 billion in the third quarter, the Finance Ministry said.

The government spokeswom-an said after a cabinet meeting that the surplus on industrial trade rose 63 percent to 97 bil-lion francs for the year, although the deficit on energy trade widened in franc terms because of the strong dollar. The surplus on trade in non-

merchandise items narrowed to 2.8 billion francs from 4.3 billion in 1983, mainly because of increased interest payments on France's external debt. The third-quarter surplus originally was set at 6.62 billion francs.



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Volcker Sees Problems in Debtor Nations transfers

Bankers said Kukje, which failed

WASHINGTON - Paul A. Voicker, the Federal Reserve Board chairman, said Wednesday that despite signs of progress in many debtor nations, inflation remained disturbingly high and in some countries was reaching new

Testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Mr. have specific causes, they are ag-Volcker said new investment in gravated by imbalances in the U.S. Volcker said new investment in these countries was moving slowly due to investor concern over government controls and market dis-

creditor nations must continue if longer-term problems, including inflation, were to be resolved. Mr. Volcker said the heavily indebted countries remained "vulnerable," and their difficulties could affect U.S. exports and the U.S. financial system.

trade and budgetary accounts. The trade and overall current account deficits reached \$110 billion

Mr. Volcker said these deficits "are unsustainable indefinitely in a framework of growth and prosperity." If left unchecked, he added, they could undermine the confi-

dence in the U.S. economy that is

essential to a strong currency and He said that while these strains prospects for lower interest rates. But he said the multi-year restructuring of debts for debtor nations had proved to be justified. Such arrangements have been

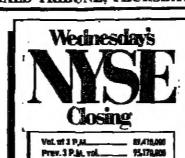
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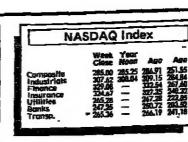
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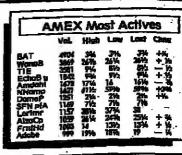
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N.Y. Market Mounts a Retreat NEW YORK - The stock market was re-

treating late Wednesday, after a raily attempt early in the session failed. The Dow Jones industrial average, which gained 8.61 Tuesday, was down 3.31 to 1.282.80 about an hour before the close. The Dow had been up more than 5 points early in the session before reversing itself.

Declines and advances were about even

Although prices in tables on these pages are from the 4 P.M. close in New York, for time reasons this article is based on the market at 3

among the 1,957 issues crossing the New York

Stock Exchange tape. The five-hour Big Board volume amounted to about 89.60 million shares, compared with 95.17 million in the corresponding period Tues-

Prices were mixed in moderate trading of American Stock Exchange issues.

The retreat came despite this week's report that inflation continued to moderate in early 1985. Interest rates continued to soften, with the Federal funds rate on loans of reserves between banks down to 71/2 percent at midday. Philip Bernstein of Freehling & Co. in Chicago said "there is caution by investors looking at

the strong dollar which makes it difficult for many companies to to do business overseas." He said the stock market has been buffeted

by cross currents and was "pretty evenly bal-anced," with good news such as continued mod-eration of inflation offsetting the bad.

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Mr. Bernstein believes the stock market will respond positively to the trend of steady growth with moderate inflation, but for a major move to take place some progress will have to be seen on the federal budget deficit and there will have to be a signal of the intentions of congress for changing the tax system.

The Conference Board, a business-supported research group, reported a broad-based economic expansion appears likely to continue over the next six months. The report also noted that problems such as

"Every time you see a rally, you see a fair number of people wanting to sell into it," he said. The result is a sideways moving stock

market but with a bias for the upside.

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the strong U.S. dollar and the federal budget deficit continue to cause uncertainties. On the trading floor, AT&T was near the top of the active list at midday and off a fraction. The company said it expected sales to increase significantly in 1985. AT&T also said it expected to reduce its dividend pay-out ratio by in-

creasing earnings.
Actively traded Baxter Travenol was off a fraction. A block of 505,000 shares crossed at

Texas Oll & Gas was lower following a block of 935,200 shares crossed over-the-counter at

Sony was up a fraction on heavy volume Phillips Petroleum off a fraction at midday. The result of the stockholders vote on the company's recapitalization plan is to be announced over the weekend.

Gainers in the oil group at midday included Mobil, Exxon, Chevron and Indiana Standard. Unocal was off a fraction.

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BUSINESS ROUNDUP

Australia Licenses 16 Foreign Banks

CANBERRA, Australia - The Australian government, in a step to open the country's financial system, said Wednesday it had grant-

ed provisional licenses to 16 banks from eight countries. The banks included such major institutions as Bank of America, Citibank and the Bank of Tokyo, and were chosen from among 42

pplicants.

This, he said, was because Australia had selected three Japanese capital will exceed 1.5 billion Australian dollars (\$1.1 billion), Trea-

surer Paul Keating said.
The entry of the foreign banks is one of a series of steps toward the deregulation of Australia's financial markets taken since the ruling Labor Party floated the local cur-

the banks must meet with the Reserve Bank and Treasury to develop proposals so recommendations PLC, the Bank of Tokyo Ltd., can be made to the governor-gener-Deutsche Bank AG, Overseas Chilicy limiting individual shareholdal on granting of final authority. nese Banking Corp., and the Na- ings in banks to 15 percent.

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plete the process and begin operations within three months.

Liona Bank of New Zealand Ltd., owned by Lloyds Bank PLC.

Mr. Keating also announced that Japan had agreed to allow four ma-jor Australian banks — Westpar, National Australia Bank, ANZ Bank and the Commonwealth Bank — to establish full banking operations in Japan, subject to normal requirements.

banks for licenses and because of earlier arrangements for Japanese banking companies to establish merchant banks in Australia. Nine of the 16 licenses will be issued to wholly foreign-owned banks and the rest to joint ventures

Bankers Trust Co., Barclays Bank PLC, National Westminster Bank

The joint venture banks are Chase Manhattan Bank in association with the Australian Mutual Provident Society; Bank of America with G.J. Coles & Co.; and the Royal Bank of Canada with National Mutual Life Assurance Co.

Also, Standard Chartered Bank PLC with State Government Insurance Corp. of South Australia and Advertiser Newspapers Ltd.; the Mitsubishi Bank Ltd. with City Mutual Life Assurance Co. of Australia and Howard Smith Ltd.; the industrial Bank of Japan Ltd. with Western Australian Development Corp., Town and Country Building Society of Western Australia and Labor Party floated the local currency in December 1983.

Mr. Keating stressed that the license awards were provisional—

Citibank, J.P. Morgan & Co., Corp. with Victorian Government

Economic Development Corp. Each of the 16 banks will require done in a manner consistent with its debt restrictions.

Philip Morris To Restructure

NEW YORK — The board of Philip Morris Inc. has autho-rized the reorganization of Philip Morris into a holding company structure, it was announced Wednesday.

If the plan is approved by shareholders, a corporation called Philip Morris Cos. Inc. will be formed and Philip Mornis Inc. will become a subsidiary, a spokesman said Shares outstanding of Philip Morris Inc. will be converted into identical holdings of Philip Morris Cos. Inc. following the reorganization, set for about July 1. Philip Morris said it plans to distribute to Philip Morris Inc. the stock of many of its subsid-iaries to make them first-tier

subsidiaries of Philip Morris Cos. Inc. It said this would be

such other consumer-related operations as trust business, insurance, real estate and Charles Schwab & Co. discount brokerage into a new organization called Global Con-

Under the reorganization, an-

California, the company says.

By Andrew Pollack New York Toma Service

The consolidation is aimed at Mowing the bank to coordinate its offerings of various financial services better and to continue overhead cuts by avoiding duplication of activities.

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Global Consumer Markets will be divided into strategic business units organized around particular

ments.

The retail organization previously was organized around functions,
such as marketing. By organizing
around market segments, the bank
hopes to respond lester to changes
in the marketplace.

"We want to get closer to the SAN FRANCISCO - Bank of America is undertaking a major re-organization of its retail-banking operations to prepare for deregu-inted, worldwide competition in li-nancial services and to regain loss

"We want to get closer to the market share in its home market in customers, closer to the market-place," said James B. Wiesler, vice chairman, who will head the new nounced Tuesday, retail-banking operations will be combined with retail organization.

Bank officials said that the reorganization was the culmination of changes that had been taking place since 1982 and was not related to a scandal involving mortgage-backed securities that had caused the bank to create a \$95 million At a news conference called to

amounce the reorganization, officials declined to answer questions about the mortgage scandal but indicated that the results of an inter-nal investigation would be made available in a few days.

o'clock this morning is no different from what it was yesterday," said
Daniel Williams, vice president of research at the Sutro Group in San

548 billion of the \$120 billion in Francisco. He said the bank's major problems stemmed from faulty

been losing market share to more profits. aggressive competitors within the state and to out-of-state banks. such as Citicorp, which have moved into California.

Bank of America was slow to install automated teller machines, and its large network of branches saddled it with high expenses.

Last year, the company closed 132 branches and shrank 53 more, with products for individuals, Executives said Tuesday that vailable in a few days.

Analysts discounted the value of 1985, with 10 percent of the re-

Employment in the California division, which has been reduced to 32,000 from 40,000 over the last three years, will be cut 10 percent

Francisco. He said the bank's ma-or problems stemmed from faulty oans, not the retail operations, nowever, have

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The other major division of the bank is the World Banking division, which deals with major corpo-

rations and governments. The major division in Global Consumer Markets will be consumer financial services, encompassir California, interstate and global consumer banking. It will have special divisions geared to coming up

wealthy clients and small business-Separately, Charles Schwab announced a new service allowing investors to get stock quotations and news over the telephone and software allowing them to monitor investments and order transactions using personal computers.

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PATER PROPERTY. Pan Am, Pilots Agree to Tentative Contract Phillips Warns of Liquidation if Icahn Succeeds

The Associated Press

NEW YORK - Pan American World Airways has reached a tentative contract agreement with its pilots, but still faces a possible mechanics strike on Thursday that a union leader said could halt all

Edward C. Acker, the Pan Am chairman, said details of the 32month pact with the pilots, reached Tuesday, would be withheld pending a ratification vote next month.

But he said the pilots had "recogpized the economics of a deregulated industry," and "taken steps to strengthen Pan Am's competitive position."

Captain James MacQuarrie, who convinced that sacrifices were necssary "to ensure the future health and food workers. essary "to ensure the future health and profitability of the company."

contract contained labor conces- from leaders of unions representing sions that he hoped would set a about 6,000 flight attendants and pattern in the financially ailing airline's negotiations with four other agents.

Pan Am has asked all of its Pan Am will not operate if the 19,000 unionized employees for Transport Workers Union strikes," productivity gains and large reductions in pension and health-care

benefits. The airline had a pretax operating loss of \$106.7 million before taxes last year, and its parent company, Pan Am Corp., had a net loss at \$206.2 million. The airline has temporarily replace some of the inevitably lead to inquination of the company to pay off the debt required to finance the takeover, a pany, Pan Am Corp., had a net loss atrike, but not the flight crews.

The airline's 800 flight engineers, Charles Kittrell, said Thursday. pany, Pan Am Corp., had a net loss of \$206.8 million. The airline has not made a profit since 1090

past five years. John Kerrigan, leader of the division, said he did not know if the wage increase they postponed in pilots' settlement would convince 1982. pilots' settlement would convince them to work if the TWU goes

But he said he had "a firm com-Captain Acker said the pilots' mitment" to honor picket lines The TWU has asked for a "snap-5,200 reservations and ticketing

"I have reason to believe that three years, Mr. Kerrigan said.

Pan Am spokesman Jeff Kriendler said the airline could

not made a profit since 1980, and has cut more than 8,000 jobs in the union, usually follow the lead of the Air Line Pilots Association.

The pilots had asked for an im-Transport Workers Union airline mediate restoration of a 26-percent

Pan Am wanted to restore that represented the 1,478 Pan Am pi- ahead with a threatened strike increase over several years, the pirepresented the 1,478 ran Am properties in the talks, said they were handlers, flight dispatchers time"—the number of hours the pilots are paid during layovers away from home.

> back" to the 14-percent wage in-crease they postponed in 1982, but the company only has offered a 4 percent increase in each of the next

WASHINGTON - A victory by the New York financier, Carl C. Icahn, in his \$8.1-billion bid to acquire Phillips Petroleum Co. would

In testimony submitted to a sub-committee of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, Mr. Kittrell warned that the leahn offer. would leave the company with a 14-

to-1 debt-to-equity ratio. "Placing a Going Out of Business sign on profitable concerns for short-term gain is not appropriate public policy," he said.

Mr. Kittrell warned that the Icahn bid threatens not only a liquidation of Phillips, but a loss of jobs, exploration, technological research, philanthropic activities and a disruption for independent petro-leum product marketers.

"A review of the impacts that

shareholders, employees, and the communities served by companies is therefore in the national interest," he told the committee.

The subcommittee chairman, Representative Timothy E. Wirth, a Colorado Democrat, questioned whether takeovers and their resulting rearrangement of assets make for a more efficient economy.

bearing in later testimony that he believes he won a victory in the balloting over a plan to recapitalize Phillips. "I think I won it," he said.

Mr. Icahn's bid to acquire Phillips for cash and securities with an average value of \$55 per share.

Mr. Icahn wged the legislators

this week. Its defeat by sharehold- said.

Meanwhile, Mr. Icahn told the ers would be an important step in

Voting on the recapitalization not to enact new laws regulating plan ended Wednesday, but Phil- hostile takeovers. "We're dealing lips said it will not be able to com-plete counting the vote until later think we should tamper with it," be

Neill & Spencer Plans to Merge With Jensen

exchange of stock. acquire all the share capital of a new subsidiary of Jensen to which will have been transferred all Jensen's business and assets except for a freehold property.

N&S said that on the basis of hostile corporate takeovers have on Tuesday's closing middle price for

Neill & Spencer shares, the new million new ordinary N&S shares LONDON — Neill & Spencer group will be valued at £11.4 milHoldings PLC, a maker of laundry and dry-cleaning equipment, said with lenser dependence on thirds will be attributable to existwith Jenser Corp. of Florida via an one-third to Jensen shareholders and one-third to Jensen shareholders.

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Degussa's Diversity Brings Strength, Vulnerability (Continued from Page 7) not be affected by the potential with 30 percent, Standard Oil Co.

Merrill Lynch Analyst Expects a Major Advance

McLennan among insurers, Dow declining in price. "Market breadth and Celanese in the chemical sec- has lost steam," he warned, "and

director of Lazard Securities, the advance above 1,300 that corrects

investment-management subsid- these divergencies would

iary of Lazard Brothers in London, my bearish fears."

to Degussa. have a serious impact on Degussa's copper production at a time when The government there has or-

dered the closure of the OK Tedi gold and copper mine, in which Degussa holds a 7.5-percent stake, by Thursday if no accord can be reached in a dispute between the government and a consortium of foreign shareholders.

The government, which holds a 20-percent stake in the mine, contends that the mine's foreign shareholders have failed to carry out part of an initial agreement calling

The consortium, comprising

changes in the overall financial cli-

mate. It is as difficult to make an

overall judgment about stock val-ues by carefully examining individ-

ual stocks as it is to determine

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So, with the leverage on Wall

Street in P/E-ratio expansion rath-

er than in prices that are linked

tightly to earnings and the econo-

my, Mr. Salvigsen says investors

should buy and hold quality issues,

avoiding the temptation to dump them when they "look a little rich"

through price appreciation or if the company suffers a profit setback.

Ruth Hennefeld, who heads hai-

son at Merrill Lynch between the

firm's strategy, research and sales departments, recommended these

stocks as examples of "core hold-

ings" for investors willing to stay at the table: IBM, General Electric,

AT&T, Philip Morris and Ameri-

can Home Products.

governments abroad and at home of Indiana, with 30 percent, Depresent more immediate concerns gussa and Metallgesellschaft AG each with 7.5 percent, and West According to industry analysts. German Development Co., with 5 events in Papua New Guinea could percent, is reluctant to develop

More than \$1 billion has been invested in the development of the mine, with about \$800 million of that sum secured through syndicated loans, industry sources say. Gold production at OK Tedi is currently about 20 tons a year, Mr. Becker said.

Should the Papua New Guinea government decide to follow rough on its threat to close the OK Tedi mine, Degussa's profit in for the development of copper pro-duction and related support facili-ties, including a hydro-electric bank in Frankfurt said, requesting anonymity.

building a portfolio, and those would be a good start," she said.

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Equipment, a machinery stock, CIGNA, GEICO, and Marsh &

tor, and U.S. Gypsum in the build-

has recently turned cautious to

"In January I was fairly optimis

tic that U.S. stocks would be higher at the end of the year," he said.

firm's North American investments, said the "upward drift" of interest rates mainly was making

him "uncomfortable" now, along

"But lately, I'm less confident." Mr. Smith, who manages the

However, Richard F. Smith, a

ing-materials sector.

wards Wall Street.

Stocks she recommended with

Sources close to the OK Tedi Australia's Broken Hill Pty. Co., issue say, however, that Degussa



Gert Becker

has made sufficient risk-provisions that Degussa's net earnings would the past 12 months."

checked, and the question has be-

Also worrisome to him is recent

technical deterioration in the stock

market, notably the so-called

breadth figures that compare ad-

vancing issues each day with stocks

quite a lot of stocks are off their

However, he added that a solid

come what to do about it.

January highs."

Closer to home, the prospect that the Bonn government may be forced to postpone by several years its deadline for mandatory use of catalytic converters on automobiles should not unduly affect the company, Mr. Becker said. Degussa has plans to increase capacity of the key platinum catalytic agent in the converter to 3 million units per year by 1986 from the current 500,000

Bonn has come under increased pressure from neighboring France and Italy to delay mandatory converter installation several years

from its 1988-89 target. Mr. Becker said Degussa is easil prepared to adapt its expanding catalyst capacity to the pace of de-mand for converters in the European Community without any setback to "improved earnings that already this year toward the possi- have resulted from a significant inble closure of the mine to the extent crease in sales of the catalysts over

couple of weeks equity purchases

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DuPont, Rohm & Haas, Falcon-

bridge, Phelps-Dodge and Louisianz Land.

Asked to comment about Mr

Salvignsen's thesis, he said: "I'm

fairly happy with the view that fi-

nancial assets are coming back into

favor, but I question whether inter-

est rates will fall enough to allow

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Japan Telephone Cuts Rates

TOKYO - Japan's international telegraph and telephone monopoly said Wednesday it plans to slash international communications rates by an average 9.5 percent, effective April 1. Kokusai Denshin Denwa Co. (KDD) said the planned rate cuts range over

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Refiners Group Seeking Curbs on Gas Imports

HOUSTON — A group of oil refiners is going ahead with a campaign to get restrictions on U.S. imports of petroleum products despite divergent views among its members and a cool reception initially in Washington.

The 15-member Independent Refiners Coalition seeks to limit imports of gasoline and gasoline-blending stocks but has not yet developed a specific proposal.

"We will be actively lobbying on Capitol Hill and in the administration to start a dialogue" on the subject, said a spokesman for Valero Energy Corp. He said Valero, Tosco Corp. and the American Independent Refiners Association conceived the idea of the coalition last June. Other companies such as Ashland Oil and Diamond Shamrock Corp. subsequently joined the group. The newest member is Texas City
Refining, which said last week it was cutting its
refinery runs in half and blamed gasoline im-

The coalition has hired a lobbyist, a law firm whose partners include the former chairman of the Democratic Party, Robert Strauss, and a public relations 2022007.

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Japan Exports The Most Capital The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Japan has be-come the world's top capital ex-porter in the past few years, giving it greater influence in markets outside its own, a study by the invest-ment firm of Salomon Brothers Inc. said Tuesday. In the past four years, Japan's

net long-term capital outflow has amounted to \$90 billion, including \$50 billion in 1984 alone, the study said. Nicholas Sargen, the Salomon Brothers analyst who wrote the re-port with Richard Segal, said no other nation comes close to either

figure.
Over the same period the United States had a net capital inflow of more than \$140 billion the report

Statoil Said to Price Oil at \$28 Per Barrel

STAVANGER, Norway — Statoil, Norway's state-owned oil company, has agreed a February price with customers of between \$28 and \$28.50 per barrel for its crudes, but March prices are expected to be lower, energy analysts

ber Co. of Osaka, Japan, has been expanded to include ownership of 30 percent of the outstanding shares of Toyo's Toyo Giant Tire Statoil to drop its price below \$28 per barrel in March.

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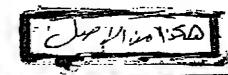
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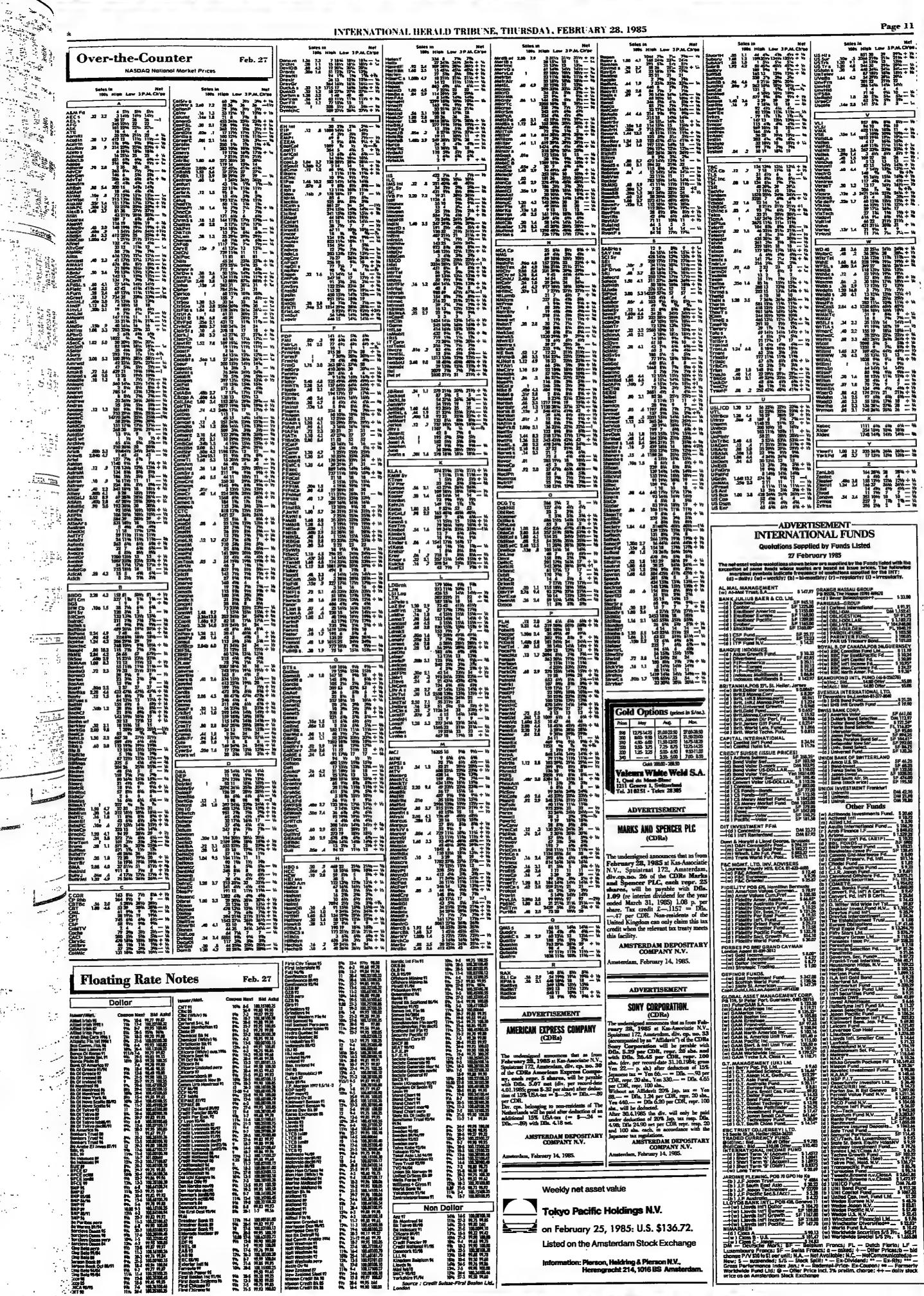
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— West German exports to North
America, buoyed by a strong dol-lar, surged 42 percent to 51.2 bil-lion Deutsche marks (\$15.5 m.1084 at current exchange rates) in 1984, the Federal Statistics Office said

Wednesday.
This brought exports to the United States and Canada to 10.5 percent of total West German exports, up from 8 percent in 1983. imports from North America in-creased by 13 percent to 35.2 billion DM last year, representing 8 percent of total imports, unchanged from 1983.

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The Abu Dhabi National Oil Company wishes to recruit a number of professional personnel in its Exploration & Production Directorate as follows:

PRODUCTION ENGINEERING SUPERVISOR

Responsible for conducting and evaluating studies of surface production facilities of oil and gas both onshore and offshore from the engineering and operational point of view. Also responsible for optimizing and evaluating well completions, well testing and logging programmes and all other aspects of Petroleum Engineering. He should be able to use computer programmes related to the work mentioned above.

The candidate should have a B.Sc. in Petroleum Engineering or equivalent with a minimum of 10 years experience in Production & Petroleum Engineering.

RESERVOIR SIMULATION ENGINEER

Responsible for collection and evaluation of reservoir engineering data for reservoir simulation studies. He should also be able to run reservoir simulators and evaluate the results.

The candidate should have a B.Sc. in Petroleum Engineering or equivalent, with 5 years experience in a major Oil Company, including a minimum of 2 years in reservoir engineering. Strong computer background is preferable.

RESERVOIR ENGINEER (PETROPHYSICAL ANALYSIS)

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Strong computer background is preferable.

MANAGEMENT REPORTS COORDINATOR

Responsible to prepare, for management, technical reports on major issues pertaining to the work of the Exploration and Production Directorate as well as that of the subsidiary operating companies. He should be able to supervise the preparation of monthly management report and other related activities. He should also be able to take a lead in developing and implementing standardization of reporting formats for the companies in the ADNOC Group and a computerized Information system, and document storage and retrieval on microfilm.

The candidate should have a B.Sc. in either Petroleum/Mechanical/Chemical Engineering or equivalent, with a minimum of 8 years relevant experience in the oil/gas exploration and production industry. Knowledge of modern methods of information handling will be a distinct advantage. He should have excellent analytical and communication skills.

ASSISTANT MANAGEMENT REPORTS COORDINATOR

Responsible for collection and review of information and data pertaining to the Exploration & Production activities and that of the subsidiary operating companies. He should be able to prepare a monthly management report from the data collected and assist in preparation of technical data for Management Information System.

The candidate should have a B.Sc. in either Petroleum/Mechanical/Chemical Engineering or equivalent, with a minimum of 5 years relevant experience in petroleum exploration and production industry. Knowledge of modern methods of Information handling will be a distinct advantage. He should have excellent analytical and communication skills.

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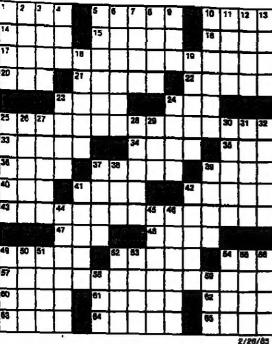
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BOOKS

BREAKING WITH MOSCOW

By Arkady N. Shevchenko. 378 pp. \$18.95. Knopf. 201 East 50th Street, New York, N. Y. 10022.

Reviewed by Christopher Lehmann-Haupt

ON the face of it, "Breaking With Moscow" is a remarkable document. The autobiography of the highest-ranking Soviet official to defect, it is first of all a high-tension spy thriller complete with code names, secret rendezvous on Manhatian's Upper East Side, and a dummy safety razor with microfilm stored in its handle, which, at one of the story's most heartthumping moments, the author becomes convinced has been snatched by the KGB.

Stuffed between the beginning and the end of the spy thriller — like the contents of a Dagwood Burnstead sandwich - is the career story of a ranking member of the Soviet leader-ship. Born in 1930 in the Ukraine and raised in a Crimean resort town by a mother who was a nurse and a father who was a doctor, Arkady N. Shevchenko took a doctorate from the presigious Moscow State Institute of International

Joining the Foreign Ministry in 1956, he rose by 1963 to the position of chief of the Security Council and Political Affairs Division in the Soviet Mission. In 1970 he became personal adviser to Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromy-ko. holding the rank of ambassador. In 1973 he was appointed under secretary general of the United Nations for political and Security Council affairs. Along the way he grew displus-tioned with the Societ system, and dispusted sioned with the Soviet system, and disgusted with himself for serving and abetting it. This is why for 32 months from 1975 to 1978, in exchange for the promise of eventual asylum in a United States he had grown to admire, he met regularly with CIA and FBI men to pass them his country's secrets.

It is also why his autobiography is not just a summing up of his career, but also a postwar history of the Soviet Union, an analysis of its political system, a portrait of its past and present leaders, and a measurement of its strengths and weaknesses.

The result, although somewhat jolting in its transition from spy thriller to historical memoir to spy thriller again, is fascinating. Its gossip is amusing: Though the KGB frowns on

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Its judgments are arresting. "The Soviet military can exert a mighty influence in critical periods of political turmoil," Shevchenko observes, but adds, "its political importance in the power structure is limited by the preeminence of the Politburo." Yet: "Soviet leaders are all aggressive, all hawks with respect to the final goals of their policy." He adds, "The fable of doves and hawks contesting in the Kremlin' is a Western misapprehension, though of course "it has been encouraged for Western consumption by Soviet propaganda and disinformation outlets."

In short, the impact of "Breaking With Moscow" is a Cold War militant's paranoid dream come true. According to Shevchenko, the Soviet system is as bad as its most severe critics imagine. And it is far from collapsing under the weight of its own incompetence.

Yet the paranoia that the book confirms engenders another form of paranoia. One finds oneself wondering about the author's motives for taking the extreme step of betraying his compatriots and abandoning his wife and children. If, as Shevchenko claims, there are other intelligent Russians in positions of leadership who are disillusioned with the hypocrisy and hopelessness of the Soviet system, then there has to be something deeper to explain why he

chose to take the extreme steps that he did.

What might these deeper motives be? Shevchenko neglects to discuss any, which would close the case were it not for certain puzzling symptoms that his book reveals. Why, for example, does he say, "I have never regarded myself as a spy in the true sense of the word, nor have I felt that I betrayed my people or my country," when in fact, for better or worse, he is a spy and a defector in the only senses of those words? Why is there such a contrast in style between the brief story of his defection and the long historical section of the book, the former being as slick and well-paced as a fictional thriller, while the latter is rambling, disorganized and puzzlingly repetitive? Why, finally, does Shevchenko neglect alto-

gether to speculate why the KGB had grown so interested in him toward the end and why he was finally recalled to Moscow under what appeared to him to be false pretenses? Perhaps there is no explanation available, but Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, who was chief U.S. delegate at the United Nations when Shevchenko was spying, felt sure enough of one to describe, in a news report that appeared in The New York Times, precisely how the Russians exposed Shevchenko's activities, while the same news story cited "a former senior American intelligence official" who disagreed with Senator Moynihan, saying that Moscow had decided it summon Shevchenko home because of his "heavy drinking and a relationship with a woman who said she was paid with American intelligence funds."

None of these puzzles are raised to suggest what Shevchenko's deeper motives might have been or even to prove that any actually existed. Events have yet to demonstrate whether any of these theories are true. The point is only that Breaking With Moscow" leaves one with the feeling that it is not the whole story.

Christopher Lehmann-Haupt is on the staff of The New York Times,

BRIDGE

By Alan Truscott

declarer is sometimes Aforced to decide between two improbabilities, and psy-chology may come into play. On the diagramed deal,

South landed in five hearts after West had taken advantage of favorable vulnerability to crowd the auction with a jump to four spades. North should have bid five hearts directly; his Blackwood auction made

West led his singleton diamond and South won with the ten in dummy, it would now seem an easy matter to drive out the A-Q of trumps and eventually discard the blacksuit losers on dummy's dia-

the nine it lost to the ace and the spade jack was returned. the queen. South could win in the dummy, pick up the heart queen with a finesse and make

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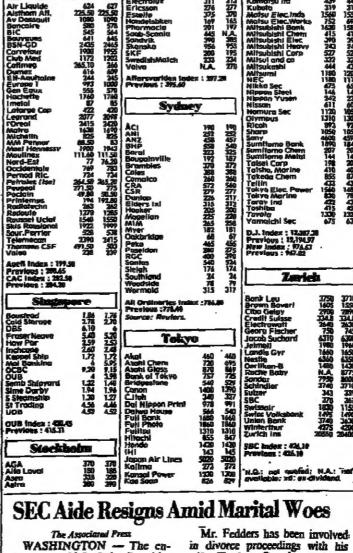
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forcement chief of the Securities and Exchange Commission has resigned following allegations that he periodically beat his wife during 18

years of marriage.
John M. Fedders offered his res ignation Tuesday, hours after the White House said President Ronald Reagan planned no immediate action against the SEC official.

in divorce proceedings with his wife, Charlotte Donahue Fedders, 41. His lawyer, Nathan Lewin, said Mr. Fedders acknowledged in his testimony in the divorce case that he had seven violent altercations with his wife during the course of their marriage.

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Kaat vs. Rose: Just Like Old Times

TAMPA, Florida - This is more like an old-timers game," said Jim Kaat, 46, the pitching coach, as he threw to player-manager Pete Rose, 43, at the Cincinnati Reds camp in Tampa, Florida.
"What's this, 50 years of experi-

Close. Kaat was the only pitcher

PRING TRAINING NOTES ig league history to work in 25

ons. Rose is entering his 23d bse lashed a line drive to left yelled at Kaat, "I think the last se I faced you I got a knock just

Kant didn't argue. He knows at Rose can remember just about 1 of his 4,097 hits.

"Fun, that's what this game is," hat said. "You have to keep ings moving. That's one reason he hired me as pitching coach. He id I have the same approach to te game. Obviously, I don't have 400 hits, but I've given up 4,000

He's not kidding. The actual fige is 4,620.

Training began in Mesa, Arizoi for Chicago Cubs pitchers and

and future shortstops.
"Mr. Cub" Ernie Banks, who entered the Hall of Fame in 1977 with 512 home runs, met rookie Shawoo Dunston for the first time, then utored the nation's No. 1 draft choice in 1982 for 30 minutes.

"I hope people won't start com-paring me to Ernie the first time I hit a homer," said Dunston, who is competing with veteran Larry Bowa for the starting shortstop job. Manager Jim Frey said Bowa is the starter until Dunston proves

"I saw Shawon play four games in the Instructional League last fall and he looked good," Frey said.
"He caught the ball well and threw it well. He can hit and he showed he

Dunston batted 329 at Double-A Midland last season, but only 233 at Triple-A Iowa Bowa hit ,223 for the National League East champions with just 17 RBL

A month short of his 22d birthday, Dunston is 18 years younger

Championship back to Baltimore. The Orioles won the World Series in 1983 but slipped to fifth last season, 19 games behind the Tigers. Yogi Berra, the New York Yankees' manager, expressed satisfaction with the play of infielder Andre Robertson during a workout at

> but I've been in those situations before," Lyan said. "I'm willing to do anything that will help the ball club."

> > Of all the players the Montreal Expos acquired this winter, none figures to be as potentially imporlant as Vance Law.

the club's spring training site in Fort Lauderdale, Florida

feels some pain in his right shoul-

reclaiming the starting shortstop position he held before the acci-

dent. Bobby Meacham currently

The Baltimore Orioles continued

Lynn, Lynn, who was added to the club during the off-season, arrived

in camp three days ahead of sched-

early to get to know the coaches and the system," Lynn said.

There's going to be an adjustment.

There always is."
Lynn, 33, was acquired by the

hopes he will help bring a World

"I'm sure there will be pressure,

"I decided to come a few days

holds that post.

Law, who played third base when the Chicago White Sox tramoled the American League West in 1983, likes to report to spring train-ing early and can certainly use the extra work this year.

Law, acquired over the winter, spent the last four days fielding ground balls at second base in raining camp at West Palm Beach,

Montreal expects Law to be its starting second baseman this year and he arrived in camp with the nitchers and catchers last Friday. His ability to turn the double play will help determine how much success the Expos have this season.

"I've always reported early but this year I need extra work because I'm in a new position," Law said. "I'm just flipping to anyone now. When Hubie [Brooks] reports I'll find out how he likes the ball and work on that."

Brooks had been the New York Mets' third baseman for four years. He switched to shortstop late last season when the Mets acquire Ray Knight and performed well. Law and Brooks were obtained by the Expos in off-season trades to Doug Flynn, tond Tim Raines do some arm stretching at the Montrea os' camp in West Palm Beach, Florida.



Reggie Jackson of the California Angels goes to hat on his first day at spring training.

Orioles as a free-agent for a reported \$6.8 million for four years. He will play center field and the club **Ueberroth Offers to 'Open Books'**

- In a departure from past Ueberroth told baseball's club owners Tuesday that he would order them to "open their books"
completely to the Players Associaany lingering lack of trust between tion if negotiators for both sides thought it "would be helpful" in achieving a collective bargaining

Ueberroth's stand followed a discussion at an owners' meeting in New York that elicited mixed feelings among the owners on the wis-dom of disclosing their financial records to the players. In past negotiations, the owners always have avoided the possibility of opening their books by announcing at the start of collective bargaining talks that they were not claiming an inability to pay.

According to a release issued by

FORT LAUDERDALE, Flori- roth told the owners: "If Don Fehr and Marvin Miller [representing labor practice, Commissioner Peter the players], and Lee MacPhail and Barry Rona [representing the clubs] the parties in order to reach a successful conclusion, I would do it."

"I think he's trying to be constructive, but I must say we haven't asked for the books," said Miller, former executive director of the Players Association and now a con-

He noted that contrary to popular conception, the only time the players made an issue of the books was in 1981, when baseball went through a 50-day strike.

During those negotiations, Miller said, the owners were careful

and some owners cited the cost of player salaries as a source of the

Miller and MacPhail, the owners' chief negotiator, both said by telephone from New York that they expected Ueberroth's decision to be a topic of discussion at Wednesday's meeting.

Noting that the owners were divided on their views on opening their books, MacPhail said: "It in dicates a difference in thinking from the past. Two or three years ago you wouldn't have found any owners interested in such a

not to make financial problems a committee to conclude negotia- when you're playing happy." he negotiating tactic, but away from tions on a new Basic Agreement said. "I'm thankful for it, That's all negotiating tactic, but away from tions on a new Basic Agreement the bargaining table, Bowie Kuhn, with the players.

Erving Sets a Mark, **But Sixers Lose**

MILWAUKEE — Julius Erving became the third-leading scorer in professional basketball Tuesday night, but he did it in a game that he and the Philadelphia 76ers would just as soon not talk about.

Erving needed seven points to pass Elvin Hayes and move in be-hind Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and

NBA FOCUS

Wilt Chamberlain, and it took him almost the entire game to get them. A tip-in with 6:05 left in the game gave Erving 27,037 points. By that time, though, the Milwaukee Bucks had put the game away.

Terry Cummings (27 points) and Craig Hodges (20) led the Bucks to an easy 116-97 victory to prevent the 76ers from moving into a tie for first place with Boston in the Atlantic Division. The Bucks lengthened their big lead in the Central Division to 74 games.

Erving who is averaging 20.8 oints a game, was three for 10 rom the field and only one for four from the line.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was New York 129, San Antonio 122; Denver 106, Atlanta 94; Utah 103, Dallas 96; Kansas City 110, Phoenix 103; Cleveland 123, Chicago 118 in overtime; Portland 110, Los Angeles Clippers 99; Los Angeles Lakers 100, Houston 94, and Golden State 128, Seattle 119.

At 35, Erving doesn't figure to climb any higher on the career scoring list. He would have to score 4,112 more points to catch Cham-

Erving, who has split his 14-year pro career between the NBA and the American Basketball Associa-At their meeting Tuesday, the tion, received a one-minute stand-owners also manimously gave total ing ovation when he passed Hayes. But after the game, he wasn't in a the counsel for the player relations talkarive mood. "It's not so bad



Julius Erving

Paul Pressey of the Bucks was largely responsible for Erving's low

"The key to holding Julius to only seven points was double-tearning him early," said Pressey, who had 15 points, nine assists and nine rebounds. "We wanted to get into situations where he would have to give up the ball. Anytime you hold a great player like him to under 15 points, you've done a great job."

The 76ers, who have enjoyed an injury-free season for the most part, were without Maurice Cheeks, who is injured, and Clint Richardson, who stayed behind because his wife is expecting a baby.

Cummings scored four points to key an 11-1 spurt over the final 2:27 of the third quarter as the Bucks opened an 81-65 lead. Philadelphia got no closer than 13 points in the fourth quarter, the last time on Sedale Threatt's lay-up with 7:43 to go.

Andrew Toney scored 21 points and Moses Malone had 16 to lead

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Named Phil Worrell as interim coach.

KANSAS STATE—Named Larry Travis athletic director.

SCOTTSOALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE—Named Devid Halgtri lootball coach.

THE CITADEL—Named Walter Nadzak Jr. athletic director.

WEST VIRGINIA—Named Dwight Walters, assistant football coach.

WISCONSIN—Announced that Ron McBride, assistant football coach, has resigned to accept the same seel at the University of Utah.

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Lou Franceschetti, left, of the Capitals and the Canucks' Thomas Gradin cross sticks during their NHL game.

Capitals Edge Canucks, 3-2, To Retain Lead in Division

NBA FOCUS Capital Center Tuesday night after had Vancouver's goals.

In the only other National Hockey League game, Buffalo snapped a Stevens's 15th goal was his 11th

in Landover, Scott Stevens and LANDOVER, Maryland - The Bob Gould scored within two min-Washington Capitals came home, the Philadelphia Flyers hit the road and the torrid race atop the Patrick Division continued.

utes of each other in the second period. Stevens, playing up front on a power play, tipped home a Mike McEwen shot to break a 1-1 The Capitals returned to the tie. Bob Gould made it 3-1 and the Caps held on Bengt Gustafsson also scored for Washington, while also scored for Washington, while Petri Skriko and Patrik Sundstrom

a 2-2-1 road trip and defeated the Vancouver Canucks, 3-2. The triumph kept Washington two points ahead of the Flyers, who began a five-game trip with a 3-2 victory in the road we didn't play as much as the caps and we didn't play as much as the caps and trip with a 3-2 victory in the road we didn't play as much as the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps are the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the caps are the caps and the road we didn't play as much as the road we Hartford, Connecticut, over the a team and didn't force the defense. But we played fairly disciplined."

three-game slide with a 4-3 victory on power plays. Gould's goal was the New Jersey Devils.

on power plays. Gould's goal was his first in 15 games.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Defector Eligible to Swim for Alabama TUSCALOOSA, Alabama (UPI) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association has declared Jens-Peter Berndt, who defected from East

Germany, eligible to compete for the University of Alabama swim team, just in time for the Southeastern Conference cha Berndt came to Alabama after leaving from the East German team last month as it prepared to return from an international competition in Arkansas. Under NCAA rules, Berndt, who is ranked second in the world in the 200- and 400-meter backstroke, can compete for three years, a university spokesman said.

Olympic Hockey Schedule Protested CALGARY, Alberta (AP) - The Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia, Finland, Sweden, West Germany and Austria have threatened to boycout the 1988 Winter Olympics in Calgary if a revised hockey schedule is carried out, Gilnter Sabetzki, president of the International Ice Hockey

Federation, said. The teams feel a revised schedule would interfere with domestic hockey schedules and the additional days they would have to spend in Calgary would be too expensive, Sabetzki said.

For Chief's Crown, a Slow Route

By Steven Crist New York Times Service

HALLANDALE, Florida - Racing fans have spent the winter waiting for this Saturday's Florida Derby at Gulfstream Pack to begin the countdown to the Kentucky Derby nine weeks later. It turns out to be the right date and right track, the right time and place to start sniffing out colts worthy of wearing the roses at Churchill Downs May 4. But the Florida

A race or two earlier on the card, the colt who had been expected to be making his second or third start of the season in the \$300,000 Florida Derby may instead make his first of the year in a race with a purse only one-tenth as large. Chief's Crown, the champion 2year-old last year, was set back a few weeks by a cough last month.

So instead of running a mile and an eighth against the best prospects in Florida, he may start out going seven furlongs in a new, ungraded overnight stakes race called the Swale. He is not certain to start in the Swale, but if he does not he will make his debut in a similarly minor seven-furlong race sometime in the next week.

Every colt who has done something noteworthy this winter will be in the Florida Derby: Proud Truth and Stephan's Odyssey, who finished a neck apart, in that order, in the Fountain of Youth Feb. 18; Banner Bob, who won the Hutcheson Feb. 6; Irish Sur, who won the Tropical Park Derby Jan. 5, and horses like Do It Again Dan and Silver Rich, who have been getting close in those races. But what happens in the Swale Stakes earlier in the

day may well render the Florida Derby outcome almost irrelevant. None of the horses who have been making headlines during Chief's Crown's absence have done anything to suggest that he will not pick up where he left off last fall, winning wherever he goes. And his late start may actually prove to be a help. That he has become almost a forgotten horse speaks

of both his unspectacular style and of a recent public wariness about praising a 2-year-old champion until he has proven himself again at 3. Chief's Crown was a professional rather than brilliant colt last year, beating all comers but often doing it narrowly and in times that were respectable rather than historic.

No one thought of him as a likely Triple Crown winner because he obviously lacked the talent of horses such as Secretariat, Seattle Slew and Affirmed. And given that the last five champion 2-year-olds failed to make it as far as the starting gate for the Kentucky Derby, fans are as likely to suspect that something will go wrong as that Chief's Crown will once again go to the head of his class.

Last week, eight hours before Proud Truth and Stephan's Odyssey would become this week's version of the early favorites for the Kentucky Derby with their one-two finish in the Fountain of Youth, Roger Laurin watched Chief's Crown work five furlongs at Gulfstream Park in 59 seconds. It was by far the best work of the morning by any horse on the grounds and the kind of fast middle-distance training move that suggests a horse is sitting on top a big race.

Laurin, the colt's trainer, was especially pleased

because he had read in a New York newspaper two days earlier that Chief's Crown had knee problems that would probably keep him out of the Derby. "Horses with bad knees don't work five furlongs in

Chief's Crown's absence from competition had prompted the sort of rumors that eventually found their way into print, but the colt has been working steadily since Feb. 2, and Laurin says the only reason

for the colt's relatively late start was the cough.

"Two horses in my barn got it," he said, "Chief's
Crown and this really well-bred filly who'd only run
once. He got over it, but she died, so you can see it was
a serious thing. Any kind of virus or infection is
serious, not in itself but because it can get so much worse. It doesn't have any permanent effect on the colt, it just cost him some time. I don't really care because there's only one race that matters, and that's

not until May. We've still got plenty of time for that."

Laurin would have liked to make the Florida Derby, if only as a favor to Gulfstream, where he is stabled every winter. The track wants the colt as a drawing card for Florida Derby Day, always the biggest day of the meeting, and a high-ranking track official recently asked Laurin to "help us out" by running Chief's Crown in the Swale. If he does, he might need to give the colt yet another prep race after that, because it is four weeks between

the Swale and the Flamingo Stakes March 30 at Hialeah Park, Laurin's immediate major goal. A race over the track at Hialenh, which opens March 7, might also be of help.

Laurin might wait and give the colt just one prep



race at Hialeah before the Flamingo, because, sharp as be is, he has only had six workouts this winter.

Swale, last year's Derby winner, had 13 workouts

before making his first start of the year in the Hutcheson, though he may have needed more work to get himself into shape. Swale's debut came relatively late, eight and a half weeks before the Derby, and that turned out to be a good move. He peaked at the right time, and horses such as Time for a Change, Dr. Carter and Devil's Bag had already raced themelves into injury, illness or exhaustion after starting their camaigns earlier. Chief's Crown appears to have a similar edge this

year, at least over the two colts now considered his main rivals. Proud Truth did not make his career debut until Dec. 2, a month after Chief's Crown had made his last of nine starts for the year. By Derby Day, he will have been in steady training for more than six months without a breather.

The same is virtually so for Stephan's Odyssey, who made his debut in October and his final start of the year last Dec. 16, giving him only a short letdown before his return in the Fountain of Youth.

It would be difficult to design a more promising pedigree for the spring classics than Chief's Crown's, whose lineage is packed with riches. His sire, Danzig, is the hottest newcomer to the American stallion ranks and Chiel's Crown is from his first crop, which in-chides Stephan's Odyssey and Contredance. Danzig, an unsound but brilliantly fast colt who made only three starts but won them easily, is a son of Northern Dancer, the world's most fashionble stallion and the sire of numerous classic winners in Europe.

On the maternal side, Chief's Crown's dam, Six Crowns, was so named because she is a daughter of two triple crown winners: Secretariat, who won the 1973 Triple Crown, and Chris Evert, who won the new York filly triple crown in 1974. The late Carl Rosen raced Chris Evert and bred Six Crowns, and his sons, Andrew and Douglas, race Chief's Crown. The colt is named for their father, a garment-industry figure who was known as "The Chief."

Despite the presence in his pedigree of horses who won classic races at a mile and a half, Chief's Crown has attracted skepticism over his ability to cover longer distances. True, he won all his races by coming from off the pace and always drew away. But eight of his nine starts were around one turn, rather than two. and his only start around two was his least impressive.

Chief's Crown won six of his nine starts last year, including four Grade I races at as many different tracks: the Hopeful at Saratoga, the Cowdin at Belmont, the Norfolk, and the Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Hollywood Park. Of his three defeats, two were in his first two career starts when he was inexperienced, and the other came over a sloppy track amid some poor

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Stockman on the Cob

WASHINGTON — President Reagan, in fast week's radio address, said the government has done everything it can for the farmer. It is now time for others to pitch in and do more, "from officials at the state level to banks, private groups and individuals in the community.

I wasn't quite sure what I, as an individual, could do to help the farmer, so I drove out to

Culpeper, Virginia.
"Hi, Farmer ginia.
"Hi, Farmer Brown. President Reagan told me I should pitch in and help you. What exactly can I do? Buchwald

You can buy my farm." "I don't know much about farm-

"Sbucks, there's nothing to it. All you have to do is get up at 5, milk the cows, feed the hogs and see how many chickens died in the night from the frost. Any fool can do

When do you get to play golf or tennis? "After you till the soil, plant your seed, spread fertilizer, spray for bugs and dig ditches for irriga-

"Don't you ever get into town?" "Sure. You get to go once, maybe twice a week, to meet with your banker and explain to him why you can't meet the payments on your

"David Stockman says the reason you farmers owe so much money to the banks is you keep speculating in land and buying new equipment to make windfall profits at the expense of the American taxpayer."

India Poetry Festival Moved

Agence France-Presse
NEW DELHI — A world poetry testival opening Friday has been moved here from Bhopal, where about 2,500 people were killed in a gas leak, the Indian Express reported Wednesday. It said the Indian Council of Cultural Relations made the switch "in view of the possible pollution of water and vegetables," though Indian scientists have said there was no such contamination.

LEGAL NOTICES

"Dave's a good old boy, but he knows as much about farming as he does about drawing up a balanced

"It wasn't just Stockman. President Reagan said the same thing. The reason you're in so much trouble is you bet on inflation and you were wrong. Didn't you hear him Saturday morning?"

"I meant to. But since it was the weekend I decided to relax and dig fence holes, repair the barn, cut down timber, wash my horse and sit up with a sick calf. I'll let you have the farm real cheap."

"How much money can I make?" 'You can make a bundle — provided the bugs don't get your corn, the sub-zero temperatures don't freeze your tomatoes, your cows don't get pneumonia, the dollar gets weaker and the Russians are starving to death."

"You don't make it sound like much fun."

"It's a lot of fun, if you're a gambler. What other business offers you a chance to bet your house on the crap table once a year?"

"The people in Washington say the reason you farmers are living on the edge is that you're always producing too much food and the taxpayers are stuck with the bill."

I can't quarrel with that. We're just dumb people who know how to grow things but we don't know how to market them. The ideal situation for America is if we farmers didn't grow enough food and made every-one pay through the nose. Then instead of the taxpayer having to give us price supports we could charge him \$15 for a pound of potatoes. I'm sure those smart fellows in Washington will be able to figure out a way of causing a food shortage in the country so we could get a fair price for our crops. You should buy my farm now while it's dirt cheap. Then when Washington works out a plan there will be so few farms left you can get \$6 for a quart of raw milk on the open mar-

'It sounds tempting. But I'm not sure I want to be a farmer. Even if you make a lot of money it doesn't sound like you have much time to enjoy it. Isn't there some other way

I can help you?"
"Well, if you're going back to Washington you can take this corn-cob with you and tell David Stockman to stick it in his ear."

Ava Gardner

A 'Gentleman' Offers Her Thoughts on Television, 'Dallas.' Clark Gable, MGM and Other Subjects

By Perer W. Kaplan New York Times Service

New YORK — The barefoot contessa New roubber thongs. She walked over the cream carpet at the Waldorf Towers, which was the same shade of cream as her calves, in a pair of tight watermelon-pink toreador slacks. Above the slacks was a cherry-colored sweatshirt with a sequined letter A over one breast, and above the red sweatshirt was a hot-pink scarf, above which was the face of Ava Gardner.

Gardner's face will be appearing in two television projects in the United States, the first two she has ever done. The first, aired today, is on the evening serial "Knots Landing" on CBS, in which she will play one of the sleek villainous women who seem to do so much for television ratings. The second is "A. D.," an NBC mini-series about early Christian zealots that is to run at the end of March.

"Oh, television," Gardner said, smiling and showing three dimples (one in the chir two in the cheeks). "It's awfully small, isn't it? Tatty. Except for J. R., he's not small." Gardner said she loved "Dallas." "I met J. R. last week," she said, "and I was just as excited as I was the first time I met Clark Gable."

With her green eyes and shaken-out au-burn coif, Gardner did not look so very different from the way she looked in "The Barefoot Contessa," "On the Beach" and "Mogambo," She sat with a bottle of spring water and chain-smoked, talking in a low voice that carried tones of North Carolina, where she was born, and of London, where

"He was sweet, Clark, and very big and masculine with lots of personality. I used to see him around the MGM lot, and of course I had a crush on him. I worked with him in 'The Hucksters' and I had to sing a song to him. Clark used to walk off a set every day at 5 — Boom! he was gone — but this day he stayed so I could sing to him instead of to some prop man. He straddled a chair and sat just off-camera, and every once in a while I'd think, 'It's Clark Gable!' and I'd go to

The next time she worked with Gable was on "Mogambo," in Africa, and her director was John Ford. "Adored him. Adored him!" she said of Ford. "The meanest man on earth. Thoroughly evil. We started off with such a battle. He didn't want me at all. He wanted

Maureen O'Hara, and he let it be known. "Grace Kelly was in the picture, and he adored her. But he was very cold to me. Before shooting, he called me in to see him. Didn't even look at me. Told me, 'You're going to be overdressed.' Just cold, and that was all. So I went back to my room and talked it over with Frank." She was married to Frank Sinatra at the time and he had flown to



Gardner as Agrippina in "A. D."

Ford.' I stomped in and I said: I'm just as Irish and mean as you are. I'm not going to take this. I'm sorry if you don't like me — I'll go home.' And he just looked up at me as if he didn't know what I was talking about and said: 'I don't know what you mean. Who's been rude to you?"

She fought with some of the important people in Hollywood and with the biggest power of all: her studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. "Listen, honey," she said. "I was never really an actress, Not really. None of us kids that came from MGM were. We were just good to look at."

Born in 1922, she left North Carolina after a studio messenger saw her picture in a New York photographic studio window, passed himself off as an agent and sent it to MGM. The studio asked her to do a screen test, and Ava Gardner joined the studio varsity with Lana Turner, Judy Garland, Van Johnson

and Mickey Rooney, who became Gardner's first husband in 1941.
"I was a terrified little girl, It was killing at MGM. They threatened you that if you didn't do what they said, they would ruin your career. And they could do it. When I appeared for Henry Wallace when he ran for president in 1948, Louis B. Mayer called me in and told me I had to ston." in and told me I had to stop."

For 17 years, Gardner stayed at MGM, defying its orders on projects, sometimes doing her best work when she was traded to other studios — as she was for Joseph L. Mankiewicz's "The Barefoot Contessa," in Africa with her for the shooting.

"So I told Frank, 'I'm going to talk to which she played a Spanish dancer who be-

comes a movie star as big as Ava Gardner. Mankiewicz, she said, pointing to her head, was "cerebral." Besides him, she worked with some of the best directors in Hollywood: Ford, John Huston and George Cukor.

She married three times: Rooney, Sinatra and the bandleader-clarinetist Artie Shaw. Her marriage to Sinatra became the legendary one, through the pain he said he suffered. Their love affair, many said, led to the anguished resonance of his classic albums of the

"Oh, no, no." Gardner said. "He had just done a film he was proud of - From Here to Eternity' - he had his strength back and all of his talent'

About 7:30 P.M., Gardner exchanged her water for a scotch and said she had thought she was pretty good in 'The Night of the Iguana," in which she was directed by her friend and favorite director, Huston. "And then I saw it," she said, "and I was so embarrassed. There wasn't one true move in it; it was false and fidgety."

She said she was having "a hell of a time" on another Huston picture, "The Bible," and was saved by the director. "'Awright, kid," she said, doing a gravelly imitation of Hus-ton's voice. "And he just held my hand and said, 'Awright.' And then he asked me if I was ready to go back, and I said I was. That's how

John Huston directs."

"Knots Landing," she said, made her "a buck" playing "a rather nasty lady." She made a terrible face, "First of all, I look so bad. I mean I'm not terribly vain, but I don't like to look like a monster." She brushed out her hair and smiled. "And it's so fast. "Television is a lovely thing for people of my age to watch, but it's for young people to make. The kids were very nice to me.

She sipped her scotch. She remembered a story about Cukor. "George was in Russia, making something called 'The Bluebird,' and I came over to help him. We had been friends for years, and they didn't have much money. So I said I will work for free. "Well. it was hell. It probably hastened his

death. It was very, very difficult. And one day we were doing a scene, and George suddenly turned nasty, as I'd seen him get nasty to other people. He was a wonderful man but he could be extremely rude. When I was done, I left, and he didn't say good-bye.

"Well, months and months went by, and we didn't speak. Then one day I saw one of his old movies with Katharine Hepburn and Spencer Tracy, where she's an athlete. 'Pat and Mike.' It was wonderful, and I wrote him a telegram that said, 'They don't make 'em like that anymore.' And he wrote me a telegram back, and it said. 'They don't make 'em like you anymore, Ava.'

"You know, George Cukor said the nicest thing that's ever been said about me. 'Ava,' he told an interviewer, 'is a gentleman.'
"A gentleman," she said. "I like that."

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Turner Wins 3 Grammys

for 1984, including record of the last week's premiere of the two new year and best female pop vocalist. Theodorakis works with a Greek Turner also won best female rock movie. Nobody told me officially vocalist for Better Be Good to that my work was being censored. Me." "What's Love Got to Do sat in front of the television waiting With It," written by Graham Lyle for my show and it didn't come and Terry Britten and recorded by on, he said ERT-2's director, Turner, was named song of the year George Tsongiopoulos, as well as a and record of the year. Lionel Richie's "Can't Slow Down" was named album of the year at the ceremony, televised live from Los Angeles to an audience estimated at 140 million worldwide. Cyndi Lamper, known for her carrot-colored hair and flea-market clothes. was honored as best new artist of the year. Prince, star of the summer hit movie "Purple Rain," won or shared three awards. He and his band, Revolution, won best rock performance by a duo with vocal for the "Purple Rain" LP. The group also won for best album of an original score written for a motion picture or TV special for the album, which was the soundtrack for the movie. Prince also won an award for writing the best rhythm and blues song. "I Feel For You," recorded by Chaka Khan, who was named best female rhythm and blues artist. Bruce Springsteen, who had never won a Grammy de-spite his decade-long leadership in American rock music, got his first award as best rock male vocalist for "Dancing in the Dark." Phil Collins was named best male pop vo-calist for "Against All Odds (Take a Look at Me Now)." Best female country vocal performance was by Emmylon Harris for "In My Dreams," and Merie Haggard won for best country male vocal. Billy Ocean won the rhythm and blues male vocal Grammy for his "Caribbean Queen" single.

The Greek composer Mikis Theodorakis, saying Greece has be-come "a cultural desert" under Socialist rule, has accused Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou of intervening personally to ban a television screening of Theodorakis's most recent concert. However. the government said the screening was only postponed. Theodorakis, a Communist, was addressing an audience of about 200 at a discus-

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Stockman on the Cob

WASHINGTON — President Reagan, in fast week's radio address, said the government has done everything it can for the farmer. It is now time for others to pitch in and do more, "from officials at the state level to banks, private groups and individuals in the community.

I wasn't quite sure what I, as an individual, could do to help the farmer, so I drove out to

Culpeper, Virginia.
"Hi, Farmer ginia.
"Hi, Farmer Brown. President Reagan told me I should pitch in and help

you. What exactly can I do? Buchwald

You can buy my farm." "I don't know much about farm-

"Sbucks, there's nothing to it. All you have to do is get up at 5, milk the cows, feed the hogs and see how many chickens died in the night from the frost. Any fool can do

When do you get to play golf or tennis? "After you till the soil, plant your seed, spread fertilizer, spray for bugs and dig ditches for irriga-

"Don't you ever get into town?" "Sure. You get to go once, maybe twice a week, to meet with your banker and explain to him why you can't meet the payments on your

"David Stockman says the reason you farmers owe so much money to the banks is you keep speculating in land and buying new equipment to make windfall profits at the expense of the American taxpayer."

India Poetry Festival Moved

Agence France-Presse
NEW DELHI — A world poetry testival opening Friday has been moved here from Bhopal, where about 2,500 people were killed in a gas leak, the Indian Express reported Wednesday. It said the Indian Council of Cultural Relations made the switch "in view of the possible pollution of water and vegetables," though Indian scientists have said there was no such contamination.

"Dave's a good old boy, but he knows as much about farming as he does about drawing up a balanced

"It wasn't just Stockman. President Reagan said the same thing. The reason you're in so much trouble is you bet on inflation and you were wrong. Didn't you hear him Saturday morning?"

"I meant to. But since it was the weekend I decided to relax and dig fence holes, repair the barn, cut down timber, wash my horse and sit up with a sick calf. I'll let you have the farm real cheap."

"How much money can I make?" 'You can make a bundle — provided the bugs don't get your corn, the sub-zero temperatures don't freeze your tomatoes, your cows don't get pneumonia, the dollar gets weaker and the Russians are starving to death."

"You don't make it sound like much fun."

"It's a lot of fun, if you're a gambler. What other business offers you a chance to bet your house on the crap table once a year?"

"The people in Washington say the reason you farmers are living on the edge is that you're always producing too much food and the taxpayers are stuck with the bill."

I can't quarrel with that. We're just dumb people who know how to grow things but we don't know how to market them. The ideal situation for America is if we farmers didn't grow enough food and made every-one pay through the nose. Then instead of the taxpayer having to give us price supports we could charge him \$15 for a pound of potatoes. I'm sure those smart fellows in Washington will be able to figure out a way of causing a food shortage in the country so we could get a fair price for our crops. You should buy my farm now while it's dirt cheap. Then when Washington works out a plan there will be so few farms left you can get \$6 for a quart of raw milk on the open mar-

'It sounds tempting. But I'm not sure I want to be a farmer. Even if you make a lot of money it doesn't sound like you have much time to enjoy it. Isn't there some other way

I can help you?"
"Well, if you're going back to Washington you can take this corn-cob with you and tell David Stockman to stick it in his ear."

Ava Gardner

A 'Gentleman' Offers Her Thoughts on Television, 'Dallas.' Clark Gable, MGM and Other Subjects

By Perer W. Kaplan New York Times Service

New YORK — The barefoot contessa New roubber thongs. She walked over the cream carpet at the Waldorf Towers, which was the same shade of cream as her calves, in a pair of tight watermelon-pink toreador slacks. Above the slacks was a cherry-colored sweatshirt with a sequined letter A over one breast, and above the red sweatshirt was a hot-pink scarf, above which was the face of Ava Gardner.

Gardner's face will be appearing in two television projects in the United States, the first two she has ever done. The first, aired today, is on the evening serial "Knots Landing" on CBS, in which she will play one of the sleek villainous women who seem to do so much for television ratings. The second is "A. D.," an NBC mini-series about early Christian zealots that is to run at the end of March.

"Oh, television," Gardner said, smiling and showing three dimples (one in the chir two in the cheeks). "It's awfully small, isn't it? Tatty. Except for J. R., he's not small." Gardner said she loved "Dallas." "I met J. R. last week," she said, "and I was just as excited as I was the first time I met Clark Gable."

With her green eyes and shaken-out au-burn coif, Gardner did not look so very different from the way she looked in "The Barefoot Contessa," "On the Beach" and "Mogambo," She sat with a bottle of spring water and chain-smoked, talking in a low voice that carried tones of North Carolina, where she was born, and of London, where

"He was sweet, Clark, and very big and masculine with lots of personality. I used to see him around the MGM lot, and of course I had a crush on him. I worked with him in 'The Hucksters' and I had to sing a song to him. Clark used to walk off a set every day at 5 — Boom! he was gone — but this day he stayed so I could sing to him instead of to some prop man. He straddled a chair and sat just off-camera, and every once in a while I'd think, 'It's Clark Gable!' and I'd go to

The next time she worked with Gable was on "Mogambo," in Africa, and her director was John Ford. "Adored him. Adored him!" she said of Ford. "The meanest man on earth. Thoroughly evil. We started off with such a battle. He didn't want me at all. He wanted

Maureen O'Hara, and he let it be known. "Grace Kelly was in the picture, and he adored her. But he was very cold to me. Before shooting, he called me in to see him. Didn't even look at me. Told me, 'You're going to be overdressed.' Just cold, and that was all. So I went back to my room and talked it over with Frank." She was married to Frank Sinatra at the time and he had flown to



Gardner as Agrippina in "A. D."

Ford.' I stomped in and I said: I'm just as Irish and mean as you are. I'm not going to take this. I'm sorry if you don't like me — I'll go home.' And he just looked up at me as if he didn't know what I was talking about and said: 'I don't know what you mean. Who's been rude to you?"

She fought with some of the important people in Hollywood and with the biggest power of all: her studio, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. "Listen, honey," she said. "I was never really an actress, Not really. None of us kids that came from MGM were. We were just good to look at."

Born in 1922, she left North Carolina after a studio messenger saw her picture in a New York photographic studio window, passed himself off as an agent and sent it to MGM. The studio asked her to do a screen test, and Ava Gardner joined the studio varsity with Lana Turner, Judy Garland, Van Johnson

and Mickey Rooney, who became Gardner's first husband in 1941.
"I was a terrified little girl, It was killing at MGM. They threatened you that if you didn't do what they said, they would ruin your career. And they could do it. When I appeared for Henry Wallace when he ran for president in 1948, Louis B. Mayer called me in and told me I had to ston." in and told me I had to stop."

For 17 years, Gardner stayed at MGM, defying its orders on projects, sometimes doing her best work when she was traded to other studios — as she was for Joseph L. Mankiewicz's "The Barefoot Contessa," in Africa with her for the shooting.

"So I told Frank, 'I'm going to talk to which she played a Spanish dancer who be-

comes a movie star as big as Ava Gardner. Mankiewicz, she said, pointing to her head, was "cerebral." Besides him, she worked with some of the best directors in Hollywood: Ford, John Huston and George Cukor.

She married three times: Rooney, Sinatra and the bandleader-clarinetist Artie Shaw. Her marriage to Sinatra became the legendary one, through the pain he said he suffered. Their love affair, many said, led to the anguished resonance of his classic albums of the

"Oh, no, no." Gardner said. "He had just done a film he was proud of - From Here to Eternity' - he had his strength back and all of his talent'

About 7:30 P.M., Gardner exchanged her water for a scotch and said she had thought she was pretty good in 'The Night of the Iguana," in which she was directed by her friend and favorite director, Huston. "And then I saw it," she said, "and I was so embarrassed. There wasn't one true move in it; it was false and fidgety."

She said she was having "a hell of a time" on another Huston picture, "The Bible," and was saved by the director. "'Awright, kid," she said, doing a gravelly imitation of Hus-ton's voice. "And he just held my hand and said, 'Awright.' And then he asked me if I was ready to go back, and I said I was. That's how

John Huston directs."

"Knots Landing," she said, made her "a buck" playing "a rather nasty lady." She made a terrible face, "First of all, I look so bad. I mean I'm not terribly vain, but I don't like to look like a monster." She brushed out her hair and smiled. "And it's so fast. "Television is a lovely thing for people of my age to watch, but it's for young people to make. The kids were very nice to me.

She sipped her scotch. She remembered a story about Cukor. "George was in Russia, making something called 'The Bluebird,' and I came over to help him. We had been friends for years, and they didn't have much money. So I said I will work for free. "Well. it was hell. It probably hastened his

death. It was very, very difficult. And one day we were doing a scene, and George suddenly turned nasty, as I'd seen him get nasty to other people. He was a wonderful man but he could be extremely rude. When I was done, I left, and he didn't say good-bye.

"Well, months and months went by, and we didn't speak. Then one day I saw one of his old movies with Katharine Hepburn and Spencer Tracy, where she's an athlete. 'Pat and Mike.' It was wonderful, and I wrote him a telegram that said, 'They don't make 'em like that anymore.' And he wrote me a telegram back, and it said. 'They don't make 'em like you anymore, Ava.'

"You know, George Cukor said the nicest thing that's ever been said about me. 'Ava,' he told an interviewer, 'is a gentleman.'
"A gentleman," she said. "I like that."

PEOPLE

Turner Wins 3 Grammys

for 1984, including record of the last week's premiere of the two new year and best female pop vocalist. Theodorakis works with a Greek Turner also won best female rock movie. Nobody told me officially vocalist for Better Be Good to that my work was being censored. Me." "What's Love Got to Do sat in front of the television waiting With It," written by Graham Lyle for my show and it didn't come and Terry Britten and recorded by on, he said ERT-2's director, Turner, was named song of the year George Tsongiopoulos, as well as a and record of the year. Lionel Richie's "Can't Slow Down" was named album of the year at the ceremony, televised live from Los Angeles to an audience estimated at 140 million worldwide. Cyndi Lamper, known for her carrot-colored hair and flea-market clothes. was honored as best new artist of the year. Prince, star of the summer hit movie "Purple Rain," won or shared three awards. He and his band, Revolution, won best rock performance by a duo with vocal for the "Purple Rain" LP. The group also won for best album of an original score written for a motion picture or TV special for the album, which was the soundtrack for the movie. Prince also won an award for writing the best rhythm and blues song. "I Feel For You," recorded by Chaka Khan, who was named best female rhythm and blues artist. Bruce Springsteen, who had never won a Grammy de-spite his decade-long leadership in American rock music, got his first award as best rock male vocalist for "Dancing in the Dark." Phil Collins was named best male pop vo-calist for "Against All Odds (Take a Look at Me Now)." Best female country vocal performance was by Emmylon Harris for "In My Dreams," and Merie Haggard won for best country male vocal. Billy Ocean won the rhythm and blues male vocal Grammy for his "Caribbean Queen" single.

The Greek composer Mikis Theodorakis, saying Greece has be-come "a cultural desert" under Socialist rule, has accused Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou of intervening personally to ban a television screening of Theodorakis's most recent concert. However. the government said the screening was only postponed. Theodorakis, a Communist, was addressing an audience of about 200 at a discussion of his new song cycles, "Dio-nysos" and "Phaedra." On Mon-a jewelry store.

Time Turner, whose album "Pri- day night, ERT-2, one of Greece's vate Dancer was a comeback two state-run television channels smash, won three Grammy awards replaced its planned broadcast of government spokesman, Dimitri Maroudas, denied the screeni had been canceled and s Wednesday that the concert we be broadcast March 17. Tso poulos said the postponemen caused by technical delays in ing the tape.

FBI agents have recovered the published Beatles music and arread a former New Jersey records studio employee, charging that a took the taped recordings from vault. Michael Keith Reibel, a frmer employee of Studio System Inc. of Jersey City, New Jersey, W arrested in Boca Raton, Floria and was being held on chargesn interstate transportation of store property. An FBI spokesman, a-seph Delcampo, said Reibel, I, was accused of having taken a miter copy of unpublished taped pivate recordings of music and caversations of the Beatles from company vault between Feb. and 15. "The tape is owned." Richard Sanatian of R-S District tion Inc. of Houston, Texas.de had given it to Studio Systemics production and editing," elcampo said. "To date, an estimed \$250,000 has been spent for aftisition and production of the pe. In its final form, it could be orth millions, according to R-S."

Frank Sinatra has filed. \$22million suit against the ational Enquirer about an article ring he went to a clinic in Switsland for injections of what t' tabloid termed a youth scrumade from sheep cells. Sinatra eart demanded a retraction.

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